

## FATHER ANSION

SHOT AND KILLED BY  
THREE MASKED  
MENWho Called at Rectory and  
Asked for Audience  
With Him,SAYING OF MASS  
OVER HE ENTEREDRoom When They Started  
Fusillade of Shots at  
Him.

Housekeeper Hit by Bullet.

Four Suspects Are  
Under Arrest.

Newark, N. J., March 10.—The Rev. Father Erasin Amsion, rector of the Polish church of St. Stanislaw, was shot and killed early today by three masked men in his rectory.

The greater part of the destruction was confined to negro quarters. The total loss, probably will reach \$100,000. Cuthbert has 2,500 inhabitants.

Further investigation today has placed the loss at \$500,000. One white man, D. H. Farmer, was found to be probably fatally injured. Many farm houses were destroyed and much stock killed around Cuthbert.

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## TORNADO

Broke Up Colored Revival Meet-  
ing With Deadly Effect.

Cuthbert, Ga., March 10.—Six negroes were killed here by a tornado last night and twelve business buildings were almost totally destroyed. Several white persons were injured, some seriously.

A revival meeting was in progress. The tornado passed some distance from the church. Later many of the worshippers going home under clearing skies were surprised to find their homes or those of their friends uninhabitable in some cases, with here and there a house pulled to pieces almost as completely as if some carpenter had taken it apart board by board.

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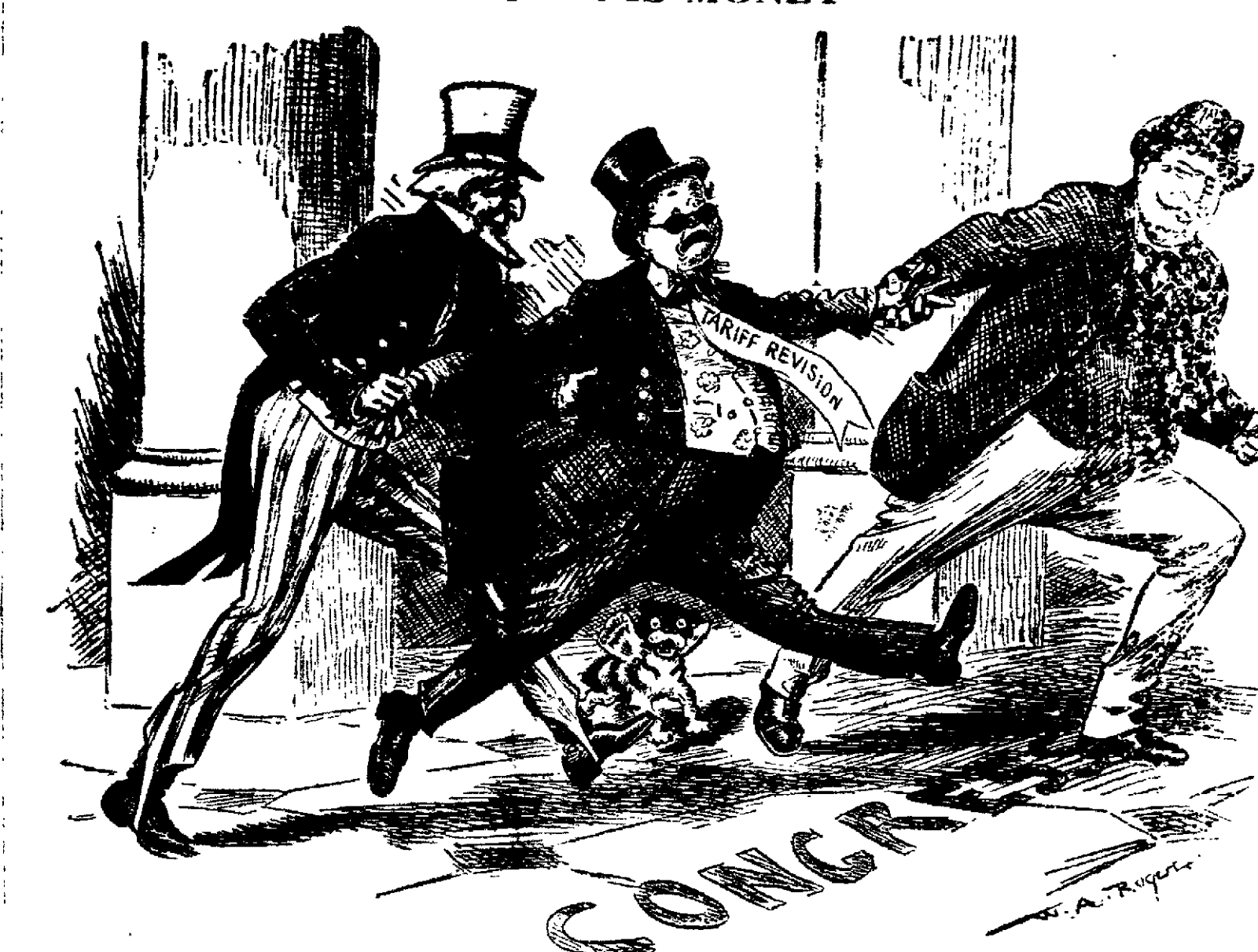
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## TIME IS MONEY



—New York Herald.

## GLORIOUS DAY

BUT NOT FOR INSUR-  
GENTS IN LOWER  
HOUSE.President Refuses to Mix in  
Their Row With Joe  
Cannon.HE TELLS THEM  
THERE IS MOREUrgent Business at Hand  
Than Fighting Over  
House Rules.Test of Strength Will Come  
Monday 'Twixt the  
Warring Forces.

Washington, March 10.—To quote from the favorite announcement made by the Spanish Government every time their army or naval forces met with a repulse during the Spanish-American war, "it was a sad but glorious day," for the insurgents of the House of Representatives. A brave phalanx, consisting of Guskie Gardner, of Massachusetts; Eddie Madison, of Kansas, and Jack Nelson, of Wisconsin, marched to the White House to offer the command of the insurgent forces to President Taft, a military rank which, in their judgment, was superior to Commander in Chief of the army and navy of the United States, which he holds by virtue of his office. They passed through the Executive portals with brave and martial step. They stated their proposition to the President, but in the language of the street he advised them to "skidoo."

The insurgent band spent several hours with Mr. Taft. They assured him that under his leadership they and their fellows could achieve a noble triumph over the main body of Republicans of the House who are captained by "Uncle Joe" Cannon. When the speakers caught sight of the attacking party, with the White House flag floating over them, they would be sure to capitulate without resistance. The opportunity for glory was too good to be missed, the President was told, and it would be most distressing to the insurgents if a victory almost won already were wantonly thrown away.

The President told the insurgents he admired their spunk and sympathized with their aspirations. He had enough of the Roosevelt spirit in him to enjoy a good fight, and hoped that some day they could all participate in a pitched battle in which there would be "glory enough for us all," as Rear Admiral Schley said after the Battle of Santiago, 11 years ago. But just at present there was much more serious business in hand than scrapping over the rules of the House. That business was to revise the tariff as speedily as possible so as to restore stability to business and commerce.

Stays on the Fence.

Perhaps there ought to be a revision of the rules so as to curtail the tremendous power of the Speaker, the President said, but that was an insignificant matter as compared with the vital problem of changing the existing schedules promptly so as to enable the stupendous business of the country to be conducted on a normal basis. He explained that he would occupy a neutral position toward the regulars and insurgents, but expressed the positive wish that the insurgents would not do anything whatever that would delay the consideration of the tariff bill. In fact, the President requested his callers to drop their fight after having seen their first show of strength on the opening day of the special session, that is, next Monday.

This they promised to do, having no other alternative but to incur the serious displeasure of the President. The principal changes in the rules which the insurgents insist upon are that the appointment of the committees by the House shall be made by an enlarged Committee on Rules instead of by the Speaker, and that the House itself instead of by the Speaker. The insurgents professed to have enough men in their ranks to score over Speaker Cannon and his lieutenant supporters provided they had the solid support of the Democrats.

Next Monday, and while the Speaker and his supporters may concede a little something to the insurgents, the latter's main contention will be disregarded. The President told the valiant band of insurgents before they left his office this evening that they were a fine lot of boys, and deserved encouragement. But next Monday winter was a better time than the present to fight against the rules, for the reasons already stated.

They had fed them several combats of boundless hospitality extended to me in Tokyo and throughout the empire by your majesty and the people of Japan. It will be my earnest endeavor to maintain in every way the present satisfactory bond between Japan and the United States.

POPE CONTINUES  
IN IMPROVEMENT.

Rome, March 10.—The pope, who has been suffering from a severe cold, continues to make improvement. He came down stairs to the apartments this morning for the first time since his illness, and received several Belgian bishops. The pontiff said mass himself this morning.

## MAURY COUNTY

TURNED OUT TO A MAN  
TO HEAR SPEECH  
OF GARNER.Walls of Nashville Court  
House Would Not  
Hold Crowd.SAME STRAIGHT  
FROM SHOULDERArgument Presented by the  
Second Attorney for  
the State.Coopers Do Not Suffer Any  
More Than Those in  
Lower Strata.

Nashville, Tenn., March 10.—So dense was the throng inside the bar today in the trial of the Coopers and J. D. Sharp, for the murder of E. W. Carnack that Judge Hart could not reach the bench from his chambers until two deputies opened a narrow path.

Half of Maury county came to Nashville to hear Attorney General Garner's argument for the state as that is Garner's home county. Few of them got into the court room, however, and those only on orderlies had cards, too, but the walls refused to stretch so they sat on the sidewalk outside and caught now and then a few sentences.

Attorney General Garner in beginning his argument, said:

"I feel the same pride and gratification at representing the people of the great state that I always do in prosecuting a criminal. At the same time I have never tried a case that there was not some humanity manifested on the side of the defense that called for some cause for regret. In this case, there is the same humanity that exists in all cases.

"The position of the defendants in this case is not so different that the hearts of those who love them suffer any more than the loved ones of defendants who are lower in the social scale.

"And I do not say that the loved ones of these defendants do not suffer. My sympathy goes out to them, though it may not be appreciated, and I regret that it is my duty to prosecute. I say this because I want you to believe that what I say here is said from a sense of duty. Since time was, the innocent have had to suffer for the guilty and the guilty and these defendants alone are to blame for making their own dear friends suffer.

"But the saddest part of this case to my mind is that the lips of the man who so cruelly murdered cannot respond and reply to the cruel slanders and maledictions heaped upon him by the hired counsel of the defense.

"I ask you to hear me out when I say that Mr. H. McKee falsified the record when he told you that Senator Cammack called Col. Cooper a dive keeper. It was a cruel and monstrous misrepresentation.

"If you gentlemen, of the defense have not enough evidence to bring a verdict of acquittal, then do not

be detected in the act of falsifying and deceiving the jury.

"I want you, gentlemen of the jury, to consider the condition of mind of these defendants. It is impossible to believe that three men on trial for their lives should tell anything that would injure themselves except by accident. Remember, too, that no matter what Senator Carmack said on the stump or wrote in the Tennesseean about Col. Cooper there was no justification for murder. The law gives another recourse."

## RACE PREJUDICE

YIELDS TO LOVE

San Francisco, March 10.—The engagement of Miss Helen Gladys Emery, daughter of Rev. John A. Emery, archdeacon of the Episcopal diocese of California, to Gungoro Aoki, son of the late General Aoki, has been announced. Miss Emery admits the engagement but refuses to give the date of the wedding, which must take place outside of this state, where the marriage of Orientals and Caucasians is forbidden. Aoki is a member of one of the most distinguished Japanese families, and is said to be a relative of Viscount Aoki, who is representing his country at Washington.

## HOME DESTROYED

BY THE TORNADO.

Somerset, O., March 10.—Relatives in London, O., of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Van Wagner have received word that their home in Kerr, Ark., was destroyed by the tornado of Monday night, and have learned that they were injured. Bad communication has rendered it impossible to get word. The family is wealthy and prominent in Madison county.

## FIVE DROWNED.

Montgomery, Ala., March 10.—Five persons were drowned today in the Alabama river here in the rising waters which followed last night's storm. Three whites and a negro were drowned from a ferry and William Billiard, a white boy, fell into the stream while walking along the bank and met a similar fate.

## LORD STIRLING

GETS THE CHILD.

Edinburgh, March 10.—The Stirling cross-divorce suits were granted today by Lord Guthrie, who decided the husband's petition, awarded him the custody of his child, and denied the cross-petition of Mrs. Stirling. John Alexander Stirling, Laird of Kilmahoney, was married three years ago to Clara Elizabeth Taylor, an American actress, who came from New Jersey. Last fall cross-suits for divorce were filed, Mr. Stirling naming Lord Northland, and Mrs. Stirling naming Mrs. Whorton as correspondents.

## FORTY DOLLARS

FOR HORSERADISH.

San Francisco, March 10.—For the privilege of eating horseradish, Albert Pulitzer paid \$10. He did not pay a garden where the horrid vegetable is grown, but invested the money in a cablegram to his physician in Vienna. Pulitzer has retired from a newspaper, and is here writing his memoirs. His message to Vienna read as follows: "May I eat horseradish?" and back over the Atlantic cable came a reply: "Yes," from the doctor who regulates the diet of the former editor. The charges were \$10, but as Pulitzer charged for the dining room, with a smile, it was evident that he thought it was money well spent.

## LET 'EM FIGHT.

New Orleans, March 10.—Freddie Welch, the English lightweight champion, and Young Doherty, of Boston, have signed articles to meet in New Orleans on the night of March 16 in a bout limited to ten rounds.

## SEND ME

To Jail For Thirty Days to Get  
Straightened Out.

New York, March 10.—A bedraggled individual entered the police court at Flushing, Long Island, yesterday, and lifting his red eyes to the bench said to Magistrate Joseph P. Fitch:

"Say, Joe, don't you remember me? I'm Jake Decker, and we went to school together when we were kids. Luck has always been against me and I want you to send me to jail for thirty days to get straightened out. Whiskey has been too much for me."

The magistrate gazed at "Jake" for some moments in silence. He was apparently moved by the appearance of the man and by memories of days gone by. Finally he said:

"I'll make it two months, Jake, and then the weather will be better and perhaps you can find employment."

The bedraggled individual bowed his thanks and took his place with the prisoners in pen.

## FELICITATION GAME

Played Equally Strong by  
Emperor of Japan  
and Taft.

## WARM MESSAGES

OF SMOOTH JOLLY

Passed Between Them After  
Later's Inauguration  
as President.

Washington, March 10.—Evidence of the feeling of warm personal friendship of the Japanese emperor for President Taft is the following cablegram which has just been made public:

"Tokio, March 5.

"The President, Washington.

"Remembering with great satisfaction my very pleasant and agreeable intercourse with you on the occasion of your visit to Japan I congratulate you most cordially upon your brilliant and successful inauguration as President of the United States, reports of which have already been received by me.

(Signed) "MUTSUHITO."

"Mr. Taft's reply follows:

"The White House, Washington, March 6.

"The Emperor, Tokio. I have received with the utmost pleasure your imperial majesty's gracious message of congratulations upon my accession to the presidency of the United States, and I am grateful for the boundless hospitality extended to me in Tokyo and throughout the empire by your majesty and the people of Japan. It will be my earnest endeavor to maintain in every way the present satisfactory bond between Japan and the United States.

(Signed) "WILLIAM H. TAFT."

## HE BEAT JUSTICE.

Muscatine, Iowa, March 10.—Urey Jones, on trial here for the murder of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Van Winkle, committed suicide in the county jail today by hanging himself.



## JOHNSON PUSHES AN

Invitation at Jeffries to  
Fight Him for the  
Championship.

## LATTER CALLED

INTO N. Y. COURT

To Answer Charge of Violating Penal Code of State.

New York, March 10.—James J. Jeffries today received an invitation from Jack Johnson to meet him in the office of Johnson's attorney to arrange a fight. The invitation was handed to Jeffries by an attorney for Johnson as Jeffries appeared in a magistrate's court to answer to a charge of violating the penal code by sparring three exhibition rounds with his partner in a theatrical performance last night. The note read as follows:

"My client, John Johnson, the world's heavy weight champion, desires me to inform you that he will be glad to meet you at my office to complete arrangements for a contest between the champion and yourself."

Jeffries would not comment on the note. The charge of violating the penal code which was made by the police, was dismissed. Jeffries' attorney contending that the sparring was a part of the theatrical sketch.

**Good Cough Medicine for Children.**  
The season for coughs and colds is now at hand and too much care cannot be used to protect the children. A child is much more likely to contract diphtheria or scarlet fever when he has a cold. The quicker you cure his cold the less the risk. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the sole reliance of many mothers, and few of those who have tried it are willing to use any other. Mrs. F. F. Starcher, of Ripley, W. Va., says: "I have never used anything other than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for my children, and it has always given good satisfaction." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a child as to an adult. For sale by all druggists.

## IDENTIFIED

Another Hospital Patient as Man Who Robbed Him.

Toledo, O., March 10.—While lying on a cot at a hospital today David Brown identified another patient, Chas. Roberts, as the man who had held up and robbed him. Roberts was shot while attempting to rob a residence and is under arrest at the hospital. A watch found on him when searched at the hospital, has been identified by Brown as one stolen from him in the hold up.

## EXPLANATION TO THE PUBLIC.



The old family doctor, Charles H. Hovey, of Lowell, Mass., established in 1827, has in their possession the old prescription book in which is filed the prescription for Father John's Medicine as written by the eminent specialist who prescribed it for the late Rev. Fr. John O'Brien, of Lowell, by whom it was recommended to his friends and parishioners, and from whom it has derived its name and was advertised with his knowledge and approval. It is not a patent medicine and it is free from morphia, opium or other poisonous drugs. It makes strength and prevents pneumonia—invaluable as a tonic and body builder for weak and run down systems. Not a new medicine—39 years in use.

## STEAMER ASHORE.

Chatham, Mass., March 10.—A steamer went ashore early this afternoon about half a mile south of the Orleans life saving station. Conflicting reports were received here, one stating that she backed off in about ten minutes and another stating that she was still aground at 2:15 p. m. It is believed she was bound south. There is an unconfirmed report that the life savers' boat which went to her assistance was swamped. Weather is thick with strong southwest wind.

I don't like your cook book—it doesn't recommend Gold Medal Flour. IMOCKER

## BIDS RECEIVED

By Service Board for Shawnee Street Paving.

The Board of Public Service today received bids for the paving of Shawnee street from Bellefontaine avenue to High street. The bidders and their prices were as follows:

Lafram & Heffer, excavation per cu. yd. 29 cents; concrete per cu. yd. \$4.50.

Clifford & O'Brien, excavation per cu. yd. 22 cents; concrete per cu. yd. \$5.25.

John Pennessy, excavation per cu. yd. 24 cents; concrete per cu. yd. \$6.50.

John Daily, excavation per cu. yd. 29 cents; concrete per cu. yd. \$5.75.

Arthur L. Fisher & Co., on whole \$1899.50.

The bid of Clifford & O'Brien was the lowest and it is understood that the contract will be awarded to this firm, the work to be begun as soon as possible.

## METROPOLITAN LINE

Notified by Wireless of Collision in Which Their Steamer,

## THE DIMERICK,

CAME OFF BEST.

Dense Fog Prevented the Location of the Two Vessels.

Boston, March 10.—In a collision in Nantucket Sound at about 8 a. m., today the Eastern Steamship Line steamer Horatio Hall was rammed and sunk by the Metropolitan Line steamer H. F. Dimerick. The Horatio Hall kept afloat long enough to flash news of the accident by wireless to shore points, and to enable the Dimerick to take off all on board including a few passengers and crew numbering about 40. The Dimerick, which was bound from New York for Boston, resumed her course after the accident, but finding that she was likely to sink ran ashore at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon, off Orleans on the eastern shore of Cape Cod.

Boston, March 10.—A wireless dispatch received today by the Metropolitan Lines said that their steamer, H. F. Dimerick was in collision with the steamer Horatio Hall from Portland, but did not give the locality.

The Metropolitan Lines information was to the effect that the collision was not serious and that neither boat was badly damaged.

The Dimerick carried freight and was in command of Captain John Thomson, of Bath, Me., and her crew numbers 28 men.

The Horatio Hall left Portland yesterday with freight and passengers for New York.

A dispatch from Newport stated that a wireless dispatch received at the naval station reported the steamer Horatio Hall badly damaged below the water line and had been beached to prevent her sinking.

Officials of the lines operating both steamers received messages telling of the collision, but no details were given nor was the place indicated, where the collision took place.

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## THE MARKETS.

New York, March 10.—The opening prices of stocks receded today under brisk selling pressure and affected by sympathy with earlier declines in London. Canadian Pacific and Denver & Rio Grande preferred fell 1 and Anaconda 3. Otherwise the declines were made up of small fractions. The market closed rather easy. The recovery went further on dull trading and established gains in International Pump of 2 1/2; Northwestern 2; American Locomotive and Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie preferred 1 1/2; Hocking Coal 1 1/2; and Anaconda Copper, American Car and American Mail, Minneapolis and St. Louis preferred declined 1 1/2. Prices yielded in the final dealings.

**Chicago Markets.**  
Chicago, March 10.—Cattle receipts estimated at 19,000; market generally 10c lower. Beef, \$4.60@7.20; Texas steers, \$4.50@5.40; western steers, \$4.10@6.60; stockers and feeders, \$3.50@5.50; cows and heifers, \$1.90@2.50; calves, \$3.00@5.50.  
Hogs—Receipts estimated at 32,000; market higher. Light, \$5.65@7.00; mixed, \$4.40@6.85; heavy, \$4.60@6.90; good to choice, heavy, \$6.50@6.80; pigs, \$3.25@6.15; bulk of sales, \$6.00@6.80.  
Sheep—Receipts estimated at 17,000; market weak. Native, \$3.30@5.10; western, \$3.30@5.75; yearlings, \$5.90@6.90; lambs, native, \$5.75@7.70; western, \$5.75@7.70.

**Daily Movement of Produce.**  
Receipts—Cattle, 17,000; hogs, 32,000; sheep, 17,000; corn, 522,500 bushels; oats, 437,500 bushels; rye, 8,000 bushels; barley, 135,000 bushels. Shipments—Flour, 31,600 barrels; wheat, 51,800 bushels; corn, 339,300 bushels; oats, 257,000 bushels; rye, 4,600 bushels; barley, 23,700 bushels.

**Car Lot Receipts.**  
Wheat, 105 cars, with 34 of contract grade; corn, 265 cars, with 10 of contract grade; oats, 14 cars; total receipts of wheat, Chicago, Minneapolis, and Duluth today were 232 cars, compared with 379 cars last week, and 241 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

**Cleveland Produce.**  
Cleveland, O., March 10.—Butter—First, 28@28 1/2; seconds, 25@26; prints, 31 1/2@32; process, 25@26; fancy dairy, 19@20; packing stock, 17@18.

**Cheese.**  
Cleveland—York state cream, fancy, 15 1/2; do Ohio cream, 14@14 1/2; Swiss No. 1, 15@16; No. 2, 13@14; bricks, 14@17; Hamburg, 15@17.

**Eggs.**  
Current receipts, 20c.  
Poultry—Hens, 14@15c.  
Apples—Fancy stock, \$5.25@6.00; choice, \$4.50@5.00.

**Potatoes.**  
White, choice, 90c; common, 85c; car lots, 80@85c; new Berkmans, \$7.50@8.00 per barrel; Idaho Jersey, \$1.35@1.50 per hamper.

**Pittsburg Stock.**  
Pittsburg, March 10.—Cattle, supply light; market steady; quotations unchanged.

Hogs, receipts 10 loads; market lower; prime heavy hogs \$7.25@7.30; medium \$7.10@7.20; heavy Yorkers \$7.00@7.10; light Yorkers \$6.80@6.90; pigs \$6.00@6.25.

Sheep and lambs, receipts light; market steady; quotations unchanged.

**Butter Live Stock.**  
East Buffalo, March 10.—Cattle, receipts one car; market steady.

Hogs, receipts 10 cars; market steady; heavies \$7.15; mediums \$7.10@7.15; Yorkers \$7.00; pigs \$6.75; roughs \$6.00; stags \$4.50@5.00.

Sheep, receipts 32 cars; market steady; yearlings \$6.00; weathers \$5.50@7.00; mixed sheep \$5.25@5.75; ewes \$5.25@5.60; culls \$3.00@4.00; lambs \$6.50@7.85.

Calves, receipts 75 head; active; \$3.00@10.00.

**Wheat Weak at Opening.**  
Chicago, March 10.—Despite an advance of 3/4 cent in the price of wheat at Liverpool, the market here today was quite weak early in the session on profit taking by local holders. Receipts here were 105 cars, which was much larger amount than had been estimated yesterday. Prices at the start were 1/4 @ 1/4 higher to 1/2 @ 1/2 lower, May being at 114 1/2 to 115 1/2, and July at 103 1/2 to 104. For a time May held within the opening range but the July delivery sold off to 103 1/2.

May corn opened unchanged to 1/4 lower at 69 to 69 1/2 and declined to 68 1/2.

May oats opened 1/4 lower to a shade higher at 56 1/2 and declined to 53 1/2.

Provisions at the opening were 5 to 12 1/2.

**Cleveland Live Stock.**  
Cleveland, March 10.—Cattle—Receipts 100 head; market steady, unchanged.

Veal Calves—Receipts 200 head; market steady. Good to choice, \$5.50@9.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1,000; market steady. Choice spring lambs, \$7.50@7.65.

Hogs—Receipts 2,000; market was strong.

**Cincinnati Markets.**  
Cincinnati, March 10.—Hogs, 3,070; market lower; butchers and shippers \$7.05@7.10; common \$5.50@6.20.

Cattle, 683; steady; fair to good shippers \$5.50@6.35; common \$2.75@3.85; sheep receipts 79; strong \$2.25@5.50; lambs steady \$7.75@8.00.

**Toledo Grain.**  
Toledo, March 10.—Close—Wheat—Cash, \$1.20 1/2; May, \$1.17 1/2; July, \$1.05; September, \$1.00.

Corn—Cash, 68c; May, 69c; July, 67c; September, 68 1/2c.

Oats—Cash, 50 1/2c; May, 50 1/2c; July, 50 1/2c; September, 41 1/2c.

Clover Seed—Cash and March \$5.22 1/2; April \$5.20; October, \$5.30.

Alsike—Prime, \$8.75.

Timothy—Prime, \$1.80.

Rye—No. 2, 83c.

**Grain and Provisions.**  
Chicago, March 10.—May, \$1.12 1/2; July, \$1.02 1/2@1.03; September, 96 1/2c; December, 87 1/2c.

Corn—March, 68 1/2c; May, 68 1/2c; July, 67 1/2c; September, 67 1/2c; December, 59 1/2c.

Oats—May, 50 1/2c; July, 49 1/2c; September, 47c.

Lard—July, \$10.35; Sept., \$10.45@10.47 1/2.

Ribs—May, \$9.32; July, \$9.45; September, \$9.60@9.62 1/2.

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Beers the Kind You Have Always Bought

## RAILROAD BREVITIES.

**Penny Passenger Earnings.**  
Special interest attaches to the portion of the Pennsylvania Railroad's annual report which deals with the expenses and earnings of its passenger service. The report calls attention to the fact that the new form has been used in presenting these facts, the figures of the passenger service itself being dissociated from expenses of mail and express carriage. This is in line with the expressed opinion of James McCreary, the president of the road, who declares in the report that there can be no question that the railroads are not receiving a reasonable compensation for the service performed and for the comfort and facilities furnished to the traveling public.

**Good Wearing Qualities.**  
A rail rolled by the Pennsylvania Steel Company in 1876 for the Cumberland Valley Railroad, owned by the Pennsylvania, was discovered a few days ago by one of the inspectors who was inspecting a lot of old rails sold by the railroad to a Southern lumber company. The rail had been in service on the main line for thirty-six years, and is still in a serviceable condition. The date of the manufacture is plainly stamped on the rail.

**Bond Issue Refused.**  
Philadelphia, Pa., March 10.—At yesterday's annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Railroad stockholders a resolution was offered by Moorfield Storey, of Boston, an attorney representing a syndicate of stockholders, to the effect that a proposed issue of \$50,000,000 of bonds or securities be open to competitive bidding by responsible banking institutions, as referred to the incoming Board of Directors for consideration. This ended what had been widely advertised as a sensation to be sprung at the meeting.

**A Harry Up Call.**

Quick! Mr. Druggist—Quick! A box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve—Here's a quarter—For the love of Moses, hurry. Baby's burned himself, terribly—Johnnie cut his foot with the axe—Mamie's scalded—Pa can't walk from piles—Billie has boils—and my corns ache. She got it and soon cured all the family. Its the greatest healer on earth. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp, druggist.

## FREIGHT STEAMER IS BADLY AGROUND.

Vineyard Haven, March 10.—The steamer Massachusetts, owned by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad and bound from Boston to New York, grounded early today near Cedar Tree Neck, Vineyard Sound, while groping her way through the thick fog.

The Massachusetts is a new boat, one of the three placed on the recently established freight line of the New Haven road between Boston and New York. She left Boston at 4 p. m., yesterday with a general cargo but no passengers and ran into the fog bank just before she came near the ship's port and losing her course struck at Cedar Tree Neck, which is on the Martha Vineyard side of the sound.

The revenue cutter service and the cutter Auchin, stationed at Woods Hole, was sent to her assistance shortly after dawn.

The Massachusetts lies not far from the landing place of the Marthas Vineyard and Nantucket cable and it is feared that some of the wrecking tugs may pick up the line during the operations of floating the steamer.

The Massachusetts was built in Philadelphia in 1907 and has a net tonnage of 1723. She carries a crew of seventy men.

## FOR FEW DAYS COOL IN TOLEDO.

Toledo, March 10.—Ice men of Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky and West Virginia to the number of 130 are attending the annual convention of the Middle States Producers' exchange here. The meeting will occupy two days.

## BRIAN RELEASED.

New York, March 10.—The release of David L. Brian, infielder of the New York National league team, from the Buffalo club was promulgated by John A. Heyder, acting president of the National league today.

## VISITED EXCHANGES.

New York, March 10.—Several members of the legislative committee that is investigating the various exchanges visited the floor of the stock exchange today in order to obtain a close view of the market and its methods.

The committeemen also spent some time examining various books and documents submitted by the officials of the exchange. Another conference will be held tomorrow.

## PRELIMINARY MEETING.

Philadelphia, March 10.—Preliminary to their conferences with the heads of the coal mines in this city tomorrow, Thomas L. Lewis, president of the mine workers and the officials of the three anthracite mining districts of Pennsylvania will meet here tonight to formulate the plans and prepare arguments.

It is understood a new working agreement to replace the three year agreement which expires April 1 will be discussed and that the miners will present a demand for a number of concessions.

## Beauty's Aid

Woman may improve her complexion, keep her face free from pimples and humors; brighten her eyes and purify the blood by the occasional use of

**Beecham's Pills**  
Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

# Facts For Sick Women

We know of no other medicine which has been so successful in relieving the suffering of women, or secured so many genuine testimonials, as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

In almost every community you will find women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Almost every woman you meet has either been benefited by it, or knows some one who has.

In the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., are files containing over one million one hundred thousand letters from women seeking health, in which many openly state over their own signatures that they have regained their health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has saved many women from surgical operations.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is made exclusively from roots and herbs, and is perfectly harmless.

The reason why it is so successful is because it contains ingredients which act directly upon the female organism, restoring it to healthy and normal activity.



## STATE INSPECTOR

Of Public Buildings and Workshops in the City for Few Days.

## HE FINDS LIMA AN EXCEPTION.

Says That Citizens Should Feel Proud of the School Buildings.

Mr. J. H. Morgan, state inspector of public buildings and work shops, arrived in the city today for a conference with Mr. Carl Rhy, one of his deputies, who has been in the city for the past ten days. Mr. Morgan stated to a representative of the Times-Democrat this afternoon that he found Lima an exception to the rule of cities of the state in regard to the orders issued by the state officers for the proper equipment in fire escapes and other features. He further stated that they had found but one delinquent, and in that case the building was in fair condition.

In speaking of the public schools, Mr. Morgan said that the citizens of Lima should feel proud of her school buildings as they are second to none in the state, and that the board of education had fulfilled all requirements of the state officials promptly.

Mr. Morgan recalled his last visit to Lima when the old West school building was standing, and the board of education endeavored to get him to postpone action on the condition of the same, and felt pleased to find the conditions so radically opposite upon his arrival here today.

## FOR ASSAULT

Jack Johnson Was Fined \$25 and Costs.

Jack Johnson, who was arrested Saturday on the charge of assaulting C. B. Frith, yardmaster at the L. E. & W. railroad, was fined \$25 and costs, by Mayor Becker. Johnson entered a plea of guilty when arraigned and sentence was deferred until this afternoon.

## THE PANAMA CANAL.

That the Panama canal, if prosecuted on present plans, is doomed to failure, is the unqualified assertion made by M. Bunau-Varilla, in an address made last evening to the Commercial club, of Boston. On reading the summarized report we can well believe that the facts and deductions presented by the distinguished French engineer made a profound impression upon his hearers. The several errors made by the engineers thus far in connection with the present lock and dam plan—errors now known and admitted—certainly prove that they are not infallible. If the Gatun canal is, as M. Bunau-Varilla contends, another error, it is a fatal one, and this waterway in the air with flights of locks ascending from the sea level at either end is doomed to destruction. M. Bunau-Varilla's indictment of the present plan must challenge the attention of congress. If it should be decided to neither go ahead on present lines nor dig the sea level canal he advocates, that might be the wisest way out of the difficulty.—New York Herald.

## CHINA'S PATHETIC APPEAL.

China's regency in sending an elaborate private statement of its policies to President-elect Taft is said to mention particularly the delay of the Japanese evacuation of Manchuria. This significant point, together with the unusual frankness and directness of the communication, means that the present regime in China recognizes that the empire's safety lies in the friendship of the United States. We have already protected China from imminent dismemberment by the powers and now, whether we like it or not, we are obliged to continue our watchfulness or surrender our proud position among the nations. If the United States should withdraw from the Pacific it is certain that China would be quickly menaced with dismemberment by the powers as a compromise to avoid war between Britain and Japan on one side and Germany and Russia on the other. This there is something almost pathetic in the appeal to the successor of Mr. Roosevelt for the continuance of our policy.—New York American.

## BLANK DOCKET.

No Arrests Made Yesterday in Police Circles.

Mayor Becker was greeted with a blank docket when he reached his office this morning, as there were no arrests made in police circles yesterday or during the night.

## S.S.S. PURELY VEGETABLE

It is a generally recognized truth that medicines made from vegetable ingredients are a great deal better adapted to the delicate human system, and in every way, than those composed of strong mineral natures and compounds. Mercury, potash, arsenic, etc., which are used in the manufacture of most blood medicines, are too violent in their action, and frequently derange the system by disturbing the stomach and digestion, affecting the bowels, and when used for a prolonged period often cause Rheumatism. S. S. S. is the only blood medicine guaranteed absolutely and purely vegetable. It is made entirely of roots, herbs and barks, selected for their purifying and healing qualities. S. S. S. cures Rheumatism, Catarrh, Sores and Ulcers, Scrofula, Contagious Blood Poison, and all other blood diseases, because it cleanses and purifies the blood, and at the same time builds up the entire system by its fine vegetable tonic effects. S. S. S. may be taken by young and old with absolute safety, and with the assurance that it will cure the diseases and disorders due to an impure and poisoned blood supply, even reaching down and removing hereditary taints. Book on the blood and any medical advice free to all who write.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

## MISSOURI

Will Get Hundred Thousand Appeal Bond from Standard.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 10.—An appeal bond of \$100,000 will be the basis upon which a writ of error for an appeal to the supreme court of the United States will be granted to the Standard Oil Company of Indiana and the Republic Oil Co. of Ohio according to action taken by the supreme court of Missouri today.

## ALLEY RECORD GOES TO TOLEDO.

Pittsburg, March 10.—Scores of first double event starting 5 a. m. were:

Rick-Novak, Toledo, 1201 (alley record).  
Pact-Horndorf, Chicago, 1178.  
Gross-Murphy, Dayton, Ohio, 1144.  
Altice-Puller, Jamestown, N. Y., 1128.  
Shedon-Dewey, Jamestown, N. Y., 1092.

Root-Krantz, Louisville, 1087.  
C. Sheer-S. Sheer, London, Canada, 1074.

Czarnecki-Meister, Toledo, 1065.  
Stroth-Strassheim, Chicago, 1046.  
Koehl-Blöth, Jamestown, N. Y., 1045.

W. Primeau-J. Primeau, London, Canada, 1034.  
Others below 1000 mark.

The score at 11 o'clock of the five leading teams was as follows:

Cibot and Orpheus, 347 miles 7 laps.

Davis and Markus, 330 miles.

Peggan and Curtis, 320 miles.

Dineen and Prouty, 317 miles 4 laps.

The high score on the fourth event were:

Amery-French, Madison, Wis., 1167.

Knox-Hamilton, Philadelphia, 1139.

Lucker-Berlin, Chicago, 1133.

Myers-Dinse, Chicago, 1127.

Huntington-Fritcher, Omaha, 1114.

Mountain-Burkhart, Chicago, 1101.

New-Hand, Omaha, 1101.

In the third event the scores were:

Sonneimer-Troger, Cleveland, 1167.

Wienand-Bigelow, Cleveland, 1136.

Holmsten-Salberg, Cleveland, 1111.

Hubert-Scheur, Cleveland, 1109.

Wythe-Lytle, Columbus, 1086.

A Pleasant Physic.

When you want a pleasant physic give Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets a trial. They are mild and gentle in their action and always produce a pleasant cathartic effect. Call at all drug stores for a free sample.

Orphium Theatre.

The bill offered by the management of this playhouse this week is a fine one, and every act is a headliner in its class.

The principal feature of the whole show is the last act. This is the play by the Alpine troupe, consisting of five, the father, mother, two daughters and a son. They are celebrated European acrobats and this is their first tour of the United States. They use two wires and do the most daring acts ever seen in that line. Passing over different articles, running and dancing on the wires make up some of their skillful feats, all of which are wonderful throughout. Besides their acting, one is attracted also to the beautiful appearance of them all upon the stage, the gowns of the ladies presenting a pretty contrast. This is one of the best of all acts ever put on the local stage and deserves the patronage of all. It is far more than worth the price of admission, and is a great act. Go and see for yourself.

BEGGED PARDON

Of the Court for Disturbing the Peace.

William West, who was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Powers on the charge of disorderly conduct, was taken before Judge Dempster this morning, and fined \$1 and costs after entering a plea of guilty. West was arraigned yesterday, and after "taking five minutes to consult himself," decided that he was not ready for trial. The court ordered him remanded to jail until he sobered up. Today he asked the pardon of the court for disturbing the peace of the city and the justice court.

SEEING AND THINKING.

Most people see an object when they think of it. They can see before their eyes a geometrical drawing or the figures on a chessboard when they think of them. In order to think at all most men make use of the things which they may be of different kinds. Thus, a man who thinks of "Italy" sees just the printed word, another may see the country spread out before him, with its villages and towns smoldering in the plains. Psychologists are beginning to classify the different aids or images of which men make use.

Some, for example, hear the words of their thought within themselves; others read them, as if the words were written generally in black on a white ground.—London Post.

## THE IDLER.

The T & T club will hold its regular meeting Friday evening of this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kent W. Hughes, on Lakewood avenue.

Scarcity of oak timber is worrying the whiskey interests. It is used to make barrels to hold the whiskey and it hurries up the aging. All this hurry, though, seems unnecessary. There soon will be but little need for barrels to hold whiskey, and then it won't make any difference to the liquor interests what the supply of oak is.

Ruth Bryan-Leavitt, eldest daughter of William J. Bryan, was yesterday granted a divorce from her artist husband, who lives in Paris. Decree was granted upon her statement that he did not provide for her and their two children.

Mr. Roosevelt will take 6,000 dozens of quinine with him into the jungles of Africa according to dispatches, but not a word do they say about how many gifts of that stuff he got at Hogen's. He will go as a side partner to the quinine.

The new time schedule made operative on the C. H. & D. last Sunday sends morning train No. 10 southbound, away twenty minutes earlier than before, or at 9:10 a. m.

Celina is to have a new building or rather a remodeled one, copied after the one recently erected here which is occupied by Carter & Carroll.

Architect Chapin, of this city, drew the plans for the building, which will be built by J. W. Deford, the owner of the site, and occupied by a large dry goods store.

The Holm Decorating Store announces their formal opening tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, in their new quarters, formerly occupied by the 39c Store, Blattenberg block, on north Elizabeth street.

The public is promised all that goes with a new opening pleasant to attend including cut flowers, music, etc.

All the wifery, all the charm of the far East; the perfect joy of the child woman of the Orient; later her abandonment to grief and tragic death by the side of her child, were portrayed last night on the stage of the Faurot opera house, when Puccini's grand opera, "Madam Butterfly," was witnessed by hundreds of theatre-goers of this and other cities.

The title role was taken by Miss Louise Collier, and while perhaps Miss Norwood has more experience in singing grand opera, it would have been impossible to have pleased an audience better than did Miss Collier delight her last night. A tiny little woman, she had a powerful voice, which never seemed to tire, and which was sweet, clear and resonant. Her bewitching ways in the first act, her delineation of the tragic denouement of the last scene, was worthy of the best, and she received her mood of applause from sympathetic listeners. Had her voice been inaudible so eloquent was every movement, every gesture, that she could have told her story without words and it would have been intelligible. Conforming to the habits of the East in every detail, her sudden bursts of passion were only a further glimpse into the carefully concealed feelings of the people of the East. Her costumes were beautiful and the scenery was in perfect accord with the country in which the story was laid.

The production was finished in every particular. The company gave splendid support to Miss Collier, and there was little to be found that could be criticized in the entire opera.

Perhaps the voice of Henry Taylor, who took the part of the American lieutenant, was not so good as it might have been. He seemed to be laboring under the difficulty of a cold in his throat, and his voice at all times was slightly strained, eliminating the sweetness which is the greatest charm of a tenor voice.

Other actors, Cranston and Arthur Doune, the one as the American marriage broker, were among the best in the cast. Their voices were so rich and powerful and so carefully and skillfully handled that their work was especially good. So was that of Miss Ellen James, who, as Suzuki, the maid, sang dramatically to her mistress through all her trials and troubles.

When relations and friends cast her aside for forsaking her religion, Suzuki remained, and the short parts in which her voice appeared, demonstrated its flexibility and richness.

From the rising of the curtain on the first act, through the marriage scene, the departure of the relations, the expected return of the husband, and the scattering of flowers and roses betokening his coming, to the fall of the curtain on the death of Madam Butterfly, the audience was thrilled by the passion, the pathos and the beauty of it all.

The exquisite costumes, the admirable stage setting, were but infinitesimal parts of the powerfully delineated whole, which swayed the hearts of all and carried the intense human sympathy of everyone in a flood of tenderness for the child of the East who sacrificed herself for the love of her husband and her child.

The grocery firm of Myers and Johns, of west Spring street, has dissolved partnership. Mr. Johns has sold out his interest in the establishment to his former partner, and will embark in some other occupation, while Mr. Myers assumes full control of affairs.

Delphos no longer has any right to complain over Lima's ability to get things. Representative Peairs, of Lima, out of the goodness of his heart, helped to give that little city a few hundred thousand dollars to rebuild canal locks.

At 3:30 o'clock this afternoon a messenger appeared at this office and delivered the following communication with a copy of the Ohio State league schedule for 1909:

"This schedule (referring to schedule) in the Enquirer a week ago. Are

you not in touch with the base ball managers?" To him, we wish to get into the "dead end" of some paper that is.

For the benefit of Mr. Anonymous, we wish to state that the official schedule for the O. S. L. was not released for publication until last Saturday, and that it was published complete on the third page of the Times-Democrat, Monday, March 8th.

The evening entertainment given last night by Court Allen, independent Order of Forests was a delightful affair. Directly after initiation of candidates, progressive polo was indulged in, which was one of the leading features of the evening. The highest score was made by Miss Winnie Meyers, who received a most beautiful iridescent statue. The consolation prize went to Mrs. Belle Fletcher, after which all repaired to the dining room, where the guests of the court had prepared very sumptuous luncheon. A visit from Prof. Thomas, a member at large, was very much appreciated.

## WHAT THE FANS ARE SAYING.

Excellent Schedule.

The cutting of the schedule in the O. S. league to 150 instead of 150 games and the allowing for several off days for the season, will undoubtedly mean that faster ball will be played this year than was last in this circuit. The schedule of 150 games last year was a heavy one and not an off day was given a team. Hard work and hard games tired the men and with the shorter schedule and the rest days thrown in the players should be in better physical condition and be able to play better ball.

The season was strenuous one last year for the athletes, and several of them were about "all in" when the season closed. Taking it all in all the shorter season and the days for rest will prove a big thing for the players.

Wratten Wants Release.

President Harry Russell, of the Newark ball club, has received a letter from Irvy Wratten in which he asks for his release. Wratten is sore on Newark, and for the last two or three years he has tried to get away from here. He states in his letter that if he is released he will be able to get a job that will mean much more to him in a financial way. The matter of releases for the holdouts may be taken up at the next meeting of the ball club.

Clarke Griffith had nearly his entire force working at Atlanta, Ga., yesterday. Two vigorous courses of sprouts were put on, 25 men participating.

Hans Lobert has not yet signed his Cincinnati contract, but he and Garry Herrmann are reported to be only \$200 apart. As Garry frequently spends that much for tips alone at big league meetings, he probably will come across.

The second squad of Cubs couldn't work at West Baden, Ind., yesterday because of wet grounds. Twelve Pittsburgh Pirates are due here today.

Pat Bohannon has been selected as manager of the Denver team, in the Western League.

Jimmy Burke's friends in Louisville will go to Indianapolis, April 14, when Toledo opens there, to give James a rousing send-off. That will be nice for Bill Armour's wallet.

Burke, by the way, is a close friend to Henry Fies, who succeeded him as Louisville manager. Indeed, former managers of the Colonels are quite prevalent in the A. A. There are John McCloskey, Jimmy Burke and Bill Clymer, for instance.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

## BOWLING LEAGUE.

Giants Defeated Traction in Exciting Contest.

The Giants defeated the Traction in an exciting contest last evening in the race for honors in the Brunswick bowling league. The winners had but 53 pins to spare, when the totals were completed. The score:

Giants	Traction	Totals
Barrington	145	136
Kollars	135	133
Schick	128	174
Leatherman	164	129
Hall	193	140
		462
Totals	824	799
Traction		
Dicke	156	171
Lusk	113	169
F. Burkhardt	137	129
W. Burkhardt	196	145
Miller	153	149
		452
Totals	787	754
		2357

Saved by Wireless.

Republic disaster at Royal Theater.

## WEIGH YOURSELF BEFORE USING.

Weigh yourself before commencing to use Samose, the great flesh-forming food. The wonderful sale of this preparation since first introduced in Lima, and the remarkable results following its use, has made Wm. M. Melville such an enthusiastic believer in the great value of Samose that he gives his personal guarantee to refund the money if Samose will not make thin people fat and restore strength and health to those who use it.

This is a strong guarantee but W. M. Melville has seen so many of his customers who a few weeks ago looked like walking skeletons become plump and well solely through the use of Samose that he feels he cannot set too much to induce people to try it.

This marvelous flesh-forming food is assimilated as soon as it is taken into the stomach, makes good rich blood, tones up the weakened system, helps to assimilate, and makes the user plump, well and strong. Send postpaid on receipt of price, 50c.

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New York, March 10.—Alarmed by the thrill whistling of six guinea pigs, Raymond L. Dittmars, curator of the snake department in the Bronx Zoo, leaped from his bed, seized a revolver that was lying under his pillow and started on a burglar hunt through his apartment at No. 241 Washington avenue.

After a cautious and thorough search of all the rooms of his apart-

ment, examining the fastenings of all the windows, Mr. Dittmars concluded that if there had been a burglar trying to force an entrance he had got safely away.

Mr. Dittmars explained that he owned six pet guinea pigs, two of which had been presented to him by King Menelik, of Abyssinia, two years ago, and that the tiny animals had any patent burglar alarm that

he had ever seen beaten a mile. When they set up a shrill chorus the Zoo curator made up his mind that some one was making determined efforts to open one of the hall doors.

Mr. Dittmars said that the slightest noise during the night in or about the apartment would start the pigs, who would not be quieted until the disturbance subsided.

## JENNINGS REVIEWS TIGER CHANCE; PRAISE FOR SUMMERS AND BUSH

(By Hugh Jennings.)

Detroit, March 10.—Well, here we are again on the eve of another baseball season. We're all of us interested in what it's likely to bring forth, beyond doubt, and we're all trusting that it may see the Detroit Tigers, your hope and mine, setting a new record for the American league by winning their third consecutive pennant and then topping it all off by grabbing a world's series—the only base ball honor to which they are eligible, that they haven't clutched already.

Are we going to see our dream come true? Well, you're a lot better prophet than I am, Mr. Fan, if you can tell to a certainty. It's a hard thing for any man to predict in so wonderfully well-matched an organization as this American league of ours. Away from home, when we're fronting the hostile hordes, you and I both may conscientiously assert that the Tigers will win again, of course. But right here in Detroit, when we settle down to a serious discussion of the situation, neither of us will dare to venture any such prediction as that.

Much Stronger Than Last Season.

Last year I said there wasn't a team in the American league that looked any better to me than ours did. I'm ready with that same opinion this year, in spite of the additional strength that at least two of our closest rivals have secured. I'm ready with it because in my judgment Detroit's club is a 15 and 15 per cent stronger than it was a year ago.

Just think what we accomplished last year in the line of development of players.

When we started the year neither you nor I had much of any confidence in Eddie Willett. We had all begun to think that in spite of his great

ability he was never going to be able to bring it to market in a way to help the Tigers. Eddie surprised us all last year. I think you'll admit, Mr. Fan, I am expecting to see him improve on even the great records he made then.

I don't know anybody who has developed a better pitcher in recent years than Eddie Summers. A year ago he was an untitled recruit. Now he's shown himself to be a pitcher right on a par with Walsh, Donovan, Joss and the other first water gems. He won more games for us last year than any other man of our tried and true staff. It wouldn't surprise me in the least to see him top the list in 1909.

Praise for Young Bush.

And Bush? Well, here is where we all shout! Even in all the neat things that have been said about this boy, I don't think the half has yet been told. I'm willing to go frankly on record, and I'm sure you'll bear me in it, that he made actually the best start in fast company last year that ever a youngster has registered in fast company closeness of the race and everything else considered.

Then there's George Moriarty. We were all sorry, weren't we, Mr. Fan, to see gold old Bill Coughlin go? The parting of the ways has been the one really regrettable feature of my work in Detroit. But even Bill himself knew that his usefulness here was done. He played ball for Detroit last year, and when he lost confidence in himself there was no hope for any possible return to form here. As a result we have Moriarty.

I'm looking for Moriarty to develop into one of the best third basemen of the game. Not only that, I think he will greatly strengthen us on the path and at bat.

## LAST WORDS.

Addison, the choicest spirit of his age, said to his stepson, the earl of Warwick, when near his end: "See in what peace a Christian can die!" But for intensity of pathos and deep feeling nothing can excel those simple, beautiful words of the Roman lady Paeta to her husband, Paetus. They had decided to die together to escape the malignity of the tyrant on the throne because of their independence, first, and drawing the sword from her breast, summoned up all her strength to say, with a smile, as she placed it in her husband's hands, "Paetus, it does not hurt."

Passages from the Psalms have often been on the lips of dying Christians. The verse, "Into thy hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit," was breathed in their last moments by Basil the Great in 378, by Charlesmagne at Aix-la-Chapelle in 813, by Martin Luther, and by the pious George Herbert, Mary Queen of Scots uttered it with a sigh as she knelt before the scaffold at Fotheringhay, and the line, "Into Thy hands, O Lord, into Thy hands," was the last spoken by Sir Henry Irving on the stage at Bradford before he was stricken down. When Charles Wesley lay dying he quoted from the 73rd Psalm, "My flesh and my heart faileth;" when his more illustrious brother was on his death-bed in 1781, it was in the Psalm, "Commit thy way unto the Lord, and he will direct thy steps." "The clouds drop fatness," he was heard to say, and again, "The Lord of hosts is with us, the God of Jacob is our refuge," and, last of all, "The best of all is, God is with us."

The last words of Pitt have been the subject of controversy ever since Disraeli—on the authority of a garulidous old waiter—started the legend that the statesman's dying utterance was, "I think I could eat one of Belsham's veal pies." Belsham being a noted pie-maker of a century ago.

FROM A FORTHCOMING NOVEL.

Panic stricken, we saw that our little abhor, in which we had endeavored to escape from the wreck of the airship, was rapidly filling with atmosphere.

"Bail her out!" shouted Corkery. And all through the night we dipped into the air with our hats and flung it back into the sky.—Life.

Saved by Wireless.

Republic disaster at Royal Theater.

Five Diseases of the Skin.

Nearly all diseases of the skin such as eczema, tetter, salt rheum and barbers' itch, are characterized by an intense itching and smarting, which often makes life a burden and disturbs sleep and rest. Quick relief may be had by applying Chamberlain's Salve. It allays the itching and smarting almost instantly. Many cures have been cured by its use. For sale by all druggists.

Gold Medal Flour pleases the cook.

## THE STAGE

"Miss Petticoats" Tonight.

In the play, "Miss Petticoats," which will be given at the Faurot tonight, will be found all of this and a bewitching girl of the real American type. No part, hoydenish, bad-mannered tom-boy here nor the well known isben type of dissatisfied womanhood, but a wholesome, generous-hearted girl of sound principles and apple-wit. She lives in the quaint cabin of an old whaler moored at an ancient wharf of New Bedford, a seaport town, where she is the delight of her grandfather, Capt. Stewart, an old whaling master, and all the old seadogs who live around. Her adventures from the time she leaves her sheltering protection until she arrives at her final port of destination as the Countess Pornay in Paris, furnish some thrilling situations and the quick turn from pathos to comedy is one of the delightful features of the attractive play.

"The Land of Nod."

Tomorrow morning the advance sale of seats opens for the famous musical extravaganza, "The Land of Nod," which will be presented at the Faurot on Friday night. It is an event which has pleasantly been looked forward to by all who enjoy the best in theatrical amusements, and all signs point to an extraordinary sale. "The Land of Nod" is one of the conspicuous successes of the times. Its career has been marked by tremendous patronage everywhere, and its popularity is indicated by the fact that it has been repeated again and again in the same communities and invariably in the presence of immense audiences.

"The Land of Nod" is an extravaganza, which means a musical comedy upon a more elaborate scale as regards scenery, costumes, electrical effects and other adjuncts. It is full of droll comedy and delightful music, and is presented by a large company of comedians, vocalists, dancers and specialists. There is no doubt that this presentation of "The Land of Nod" will prove to be one of the thoroughly delightful events of the season here, as it has elsewhere. There will probably be a long line waiting when the ticket office opens tomorrow morning.

Human Hearts.

With all the hue and cry about the immorality of the stage, certain plays of the type of "The Old Homestead," "Shore Acres," "Human Hearts," etc., continue to grow in popularity. The old adage that "a good man should marry none but



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## THE WEATHER.

Washington, D. C., March 10.—For  
Ohio—Snow flurries and much colder  
tonight. Thursday fair in south,  
snow flurries in north portion.

The claim of England that she has  
battleships without funnels will dwindle  
to nothing when compared with  
that of the fellow who invents one  
without guns.

The Newark, N. J., News, after long  
and difficult computation on the ex-  
pensive of war, announces that  
"It costs as much money to fire a  
twelve-inch gun as an editor makes  
in two years." The News editor must  
have taken into consideration only  
such editors as fire paper-wads.

What a glorious day today would  
be if the newspapers of this state in  
addition to their announcement that  
through the election of Oliver to the  
U. S. Senate, Frickman is dead in  
Pennsylvania, they could tell the people  
of Ohio that Coxism was lifeless! But  
it is only a delayed pleasure Gov.  
Harmon is getting ready to lay him  
out at a not far distant time—say  
next state and legislative election  
day.

Under a recent enactment by con-  
gress President Taft's salary is \$75,  
000, out of which he pays his own  
traveling expenses. The pay Roose-  
velt received was \$50,000, with an al-  
lowance of \$25,000 for traveling ex-  
penses. Whether Taft's remuneration  
is better than Roosevelt's depends en-  
tirely on how much he stays at home.  
If he carries out all the swings around  
the circle credited to him, his net  
salary will undoubtedly be less than  
\$50,000.

The one government employee who  
should be retained in the service is  
the U. S. district attorney of Indiana.  
He is an unusual fellow. Any republi-  
can, or democrat for that matter, who  
quits the public seat because, in his  
opinion, the government, or state, or  
county, or township, or municipality  
was straining a point of law in en-  
deavoring to get even with somebody,  
is a remarkable fellow, and a rare  
bird, as office holders go. The Indiana  
attorney resigned because Roosevelt,  
as president, refused to proceed  
against Pulitzer and Smith, charged  
with libel in connection with Panama  
Canal matters, in accordance with the  
law and precedent. Perhaps it may  
be different under the new president.

The most sensational news of the  
month is the recorded disappearance  
of Ora Walter, a Lebanon, Ohio,  
newspaper man, with \$50,000 on his  
person. Relatives express no fear  
that any of the money will be unac-  
counted for, as he left home with it  
for the purpose of buying an Asso-  
ciated or United Press franchise.

**Saved by Wireless.**  
Republic disaster at Royal Theater.

**BAILEY CALLED  
ON PRESIDENT.**

Washington, March 10.—Senator  
Bailey, of Texas, came to the White  
House today for the second time in  
his life and, he said, the first time  
being many years ago. "I called  
simply to pay my respects to Presi-  
dent Taft. He is a delightful per-  
sonality."

Senator Bailey's visit was very  
brief.

## ONE EXCEPTION.

As we understand it, all the new  
cabinet officers play golf but Uncle  
Jimmy Wilson, and he pitches horse-  
shoes uncommonly well.—Indianapolis  
Star.

FOLEY'S  
KIDNEY CURE

**WILL CURE YOU**  
of any case of Kidney or  
Bladder disease that is not  
beyond the reach of medi-  
cine. Take it at once. Do  
not risk having Bright's Dis-  
ease or Diabetes. There is  
nothing gained by delay.  
**50c. and \$1.00 Bottles.**  
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THE ENTERPRISE DRUG STORE,  
M. M. Keltner, Prop.



The only Baking Powder  
made from Royal Grape  
Cream of Tartar

**ROYAL**  
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Absolutely  
PURE

## IN BELOVED CHURCH

Funeral Service for Mrs.

Metheany Was Held  
This Afternoon.

VERY SIMPLE  
AND FITTING

Was Final Tribute to One of  
Lima's Splendid Pio-  
neer Women.

Men and women who have known  
Mrs. Esther Metheany from their  
childhood days; young people who  
had revered her, and children who  
loved her, all gathered today at the  
First Baptist church to honor her  
memory.

Children, grandchildren, and great-  
grandchildren, and even unto the  
fourth generation, came to pay their  
last tribute to a woman who had done  
so much to mould the lives and char-  
acters of many of them. Waxen  
lilies, sweet-scented carnations and  
roses covered the bier, and were  
banked against the side, as slight tes-  
timonials of the affection of those left  
behind.

The funeral service was very simple.  
Dr. Wm. Cambron, as pastor of the  
church, conducted the service, and  
the music was rendered by a quartet  
consisting of Mrs. E. M. Stradley,  
Mrs. J. R. Meley, Mr. R. H. Eberole  
and Mr. C. E. Thomas. Old favorite  
songs of the deceased were sung, beautiful  
hymns that were fitting expression of  
her wonderful faith. The opening  
hymn was "Abide With Me," and was  
followed by "Does Jesus Care," and  
"Asleep in Jesus."

Rev. Cambron told briefly the his-  
tory of Mrs. Metheany, her life, both  
as a church worker and in her home,  
the great assistance she had been in  
the development of the church during

her long years of membership, and  
then delivered a short address on a  
text which had been selected by the  
deceased some time ago, as one which  
she particularly desired. The words  
were these: "Let me die the death of  
the righteous and let my last end be  
like His."

Dr. Cambron talked in a very im-  
passioned way of the wonderful mean-  
ing which this text held for a woman  
like Mrs. Metheany, whose entire life  
had been one which was surely en-  
titled to the "death of the righteous."

He told briefly what it meant to die  
such a death, as he said, "three things  
stand out most prominently in a right-  
eous death. The presence of God is  
felt in the hour of death; the support  
of the Lord is another great factor.  
We are always glad of the support of  
our friends in the hour of trouble, of  
adversity and of fear; and much more  
to be desired is the presence of God  
himself. Then finally to die the death  
of the righteous is to be received by  
our Heavenly Father, or in other  
words, to come into our own."

Dr. Cambron then went on to tell  
what the reward of the righteous is.  
To desire to "have an end like His,"  
must mean that a reward is connected  
with such a death. This reward in  
two words is transcendent good; and  
the speaker then quoted a passage  
which better than anything else de-  
scribes what this good will be.  
"Eye hath not seen nor ear heard,  
neither hath it entered into the heart  
of man the things which God hath pre-  
pared for them that love Him; but  
God hath revealed them unto us by  
His Spirit, which revealeth the deep  
things, even the things of God."

Such a reward is beyond the compre-  
hension of human understanding, and  
it is impossible to describe it. Still  
there is a feeling in the human heart  
that makes us feel that "this reward  
will be a home, and a home under the  
most favorable conditions. In that  
realm will be spiritual health; and  
also supreme happiness, attributes  
which will make it all that we can ask  
hope for.

Dr. Cambron concluded his address  
by telling what a high ideal this is  
for anyone to try to live up to, for  
"To live the life of the righteous is to die  
His death and to receive His reward."

Friends of the family and members  
of the church acted as pall bearers  
and these were C. L. Hoyt, W. L.  
Watt, F. A. Holland, Harold Cunningham



SIR HARRY H. JOHNSTON

Kington Jamaica March 10. That President Roosevelt wished  
to have the United States government interfere in Haiti during the last  
trouble there but that the American people simply were not alive to  
the situation became known here through a letter from Mr. Roosevelt  
to Sir Harry H. Johnston, British traveler and scientist which the latter  
showed to several friends at the Government House before leaving for  
England after his American visit. The letter reads—

The White House, Washington, December 1, 1908.  
Dear Sir Harry—Just a hasty line so that it may reach you before  
you leave New Orleans. I do not think we shall intervene in Haiti. Of  
course we ought to, but this people of ours simply does not understand  
how things are outside our own boundaries. Of course I do not desire to  
set unless I can get the bulk of our people to understand the situation and  
to back up the action, and to do that I have not to get the facts vivid-  
ly before them and clearly before them. In Panama, Cuba, Santo Do-  
mingo and Puerto Rico it needed months of years of preparations before  
we could get our people to see things straight, and the worst of it is that  
the educated northeasterners are not merely blind, but often malevolent-  
ly blind, to what goes on. We ought to have interfered in Venezuela  
again during the past seven years. We ought to have interfered in Cen-  
tral America and Haiti. In all three places we ought now to do some-  
thing of the same kind that we are doing in Cuba, Santo Domingo and  
Panama, according to the exigencies of the case. But the American  
people simply were not alive to the situation.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

ham R. O. Bigley and Silas Miller.  
The remains were laid to rest in  
beautiful Woodlawn with a short  
service at the grave.

## HUNDRED AND COSTS

Assessed Max Brown for  
Selling to a Minor.

In the case of the city of Lima  
against Max Brown proprietor of the  
Golden Hill Liquor company, the  
mayor assessed the defendant \$100  
and costs. Brown was charged with  
selling intoxicating liquors to Dean  
Wagner, a 16-year-old lad, of 362  
south Jackson street, and entered a  
plea of guilty Monday morning, when  
arraigned. The mayor withheld the  
sentence until this morning, pending  
an investigation of the circumstances,  
with the above result.

## CLASSES

Of First United Brethren  
Meet.

Two classes of the First United  
Brethren church consisting of "We  
Boys" Bible Class taught by Dr. W.  
H. Patent, and the "Sunshine" La-  
dies' Bible class taught by Mr. J.  
M. McTough, met in a business and  
social gathering at the home of the  
Misses Millie and Lulu Brower,  
1149 west High street, last evening.  
There were over forty persons present.  
After the business function, the  
guests indulged in music and the  
playing of various games. This was  
followed by a delicious two-course  
luncheon served by the hostess.

The evening was delightfully  
spent and was very much enjoyed by  
the young people.

Manzan Pile Remedy is put up in  
a tube with nozzle attached. May be  
applied directly to the affected parts.  
Guaranteed. Price 50c. Sold at  
Red Cross Drug Store. mar-3m

## BROWNSVILLE FACTS.

A few of the reasons why the In-  
vestor and Business Man should go  
to Brownsville, Texas:

Brownsville is the Gateway to  
Mexico, and is the metropolis of the  
Gulf Coast Country, with a popula-  
tion of 11,000, and growing rapidly.  
Brownsville is in the midst of the  
most fertile farming country in the  
world.

Climatic conditions at Brownsville  
are ideal. There are no extremes of  
heat or cold; sunstrokes are un-  
known; there has not been a killing  
frost in thirty years.

The soil is one of the richest de-  
posits in the known agricultural  
world.

The great staple crops are: Sugar  
Cane, Alfalfa, Cotton and Corn.  
Sugar Cane is no experiment. It  
has been successfully grown for  
nearly forty years, and sugar experts  
have justly termed the Brownsville  
country the "Sugar Bowl of Amer-  
ica."

Vast fortunes have been made  
growing sugar cane in Louisiana,  
but in the Brownsville country the  
field is almost double that of Louisi-  
ana, the sucrose contents (pure sug-  
ar) 30 per cent greater, and labor  
much cheaper. Two of the largest  
sugar mills in the United States are  
in operation at Brownsville, so a  
permanent home market is assured.  
Sugar cane will pay you \$100 per  
acre net.

Brownsville is justly called the  
"Garden Spot of Texas."

Everything that can be grown at  
Los Angeles, California, is being  
grown at Brownsville. This cannot  
be said, truthfully, of any other sec-  
tion in Texas.

Arrangements are fully completed  
for the erection of another sugar  
mill, so there is no question about  
having a first class competing mar-  
ket for your crops.

Three Electric Interurban Railway  
lines have applied for franchises at  
Brownsville, and one has already  
been granted.

We have sold large tracts of this  
land to Lima, Ohio, parties, who are  
more than pleased with their pur-  
chase. We would gladly refer you  
to them.

Our next Excursion to Brown-  
sville will be Tuesday, March 16th.  
Many wide-awake business men will  
go with us. Join us and get in on  
the ground floor.

Fare for round trip, \$37.85.

THE D. C. DUNN CO.,  
Represented by B. J. Beach, 331 Hol-  
land Block, Lima, Ohio. Both  
Phones.

A Religious Author's Statement.

Rev. Joseph H. Fesperman, Salis-  
bury, N. C., who is the author of  
several books, writes: "For several  
years I was afflicted with kidney  
trouble and last winter I was sud-  
denly stricken with a severe pain in  
my kidneys and was confined to bed  
eight days unable to get up without  
assistance. My urine contained a  
thick white sediment and I passed  
some frequently day and night. I  
commenced taking Foley's Kidney  
Remedy, and the pain gradually abated  
and finally ceased and my urine  
became normal. I cheerfully recom-  
mend Foley's Kidney Remedy." Sold  
at Enterprise Drug Store, M. M.  
Keltner, Prop.

**KANNEWILLER IS  
A SURE WINNER.**

Chicago, March 10.—Sidney Kan-  
newiller, a democratic candidate for  
alderman, is to have a woman's aux-  
iliary to aid his campaign.

The movement which started a few  
days after primary day, now num-  
bers more than 200 members, it is  
said. Women sympathizers will  
meet Sunday to devise ways and  
means of furthering his candidacy.  
Mrs. A. C. Leeb, former clerk of  
elections at Washington and later  
secretary for Congressman Mann, will  
preside.

**SHORTAGE WAS  
EASILY EXPLAINED.**

Pittsburg, March 10.—William J.  
Doshi, president of the state board of  
prison inspectors, stated today that  
the reported discrepancy of \$26,000  
in the accounts of the western peni-  
tentiary, was caused by an error in  
the books of the engineering depart-  
ment. The alleged shortage was easily  
straightened out by figures found  
in other books.

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FREE!  
OVER \$6,000  
IN PRIZES

TRY FOR ONE OF THESE  
VALUABLE PRIZES AT ONCE.

READ THE FOLLOWING:

I have come here to make  
my home permanently and  
will make all my promises  
good.

THIS IS ONE OF THE BIGGEST BONA FIDE OFFERS EVER  
MADE BY A RESPONSIBLE FIRM:

We, and the manufacturers from whom we have bought thou-  
sands of pianos during the last twelve years, have decided on a novel  
plan for further introducing the splendid makes of instruments that  
we sell, and enabling customers to get better acquainted with our  
money saving methods.

As is well known we represent makers of high grade pianos and  
every piano sold by us is a well known instrument. We want you to  
call and get better acquainted with us, inspect our pianos and in-  
vestigate our new plan of selling.

In consideration of this we have decided to give away many valu-  
able prizes. In this way:

**HOW MANY TIMES CAN YOU WRITE**  
"Tony Zender, the Music Man,  
Sells Only Reliable Pianos."

To the person writing the sentence, "Tony Zender, the Music  
Man, sells only reliable pianos," the largest number of times on a  
space one-half the size of a postal card, we will give absolutely free,  
one \$200 piano. This piano can now be seen in our window.

The next one largest number of sentences on a postal card will  
receive a factory bond for \$150, good on the purchase of any new  
piano in our house and one large art picture.

The next twenty-five cards containing the largest number of sen-  
tences will each receive a factory piano bond for \$100, good on the  
purchase of any new piano in our store and one of the large art pictures.

The next fifty cards received with the next largest number of  
sentences, will receive an \$85 bond, good on the purchase of any new  
piano in our store and one large art picture.

The next fifty largest number of sentences written on the postal  
card will receive a factory bond for \$75, good on the purchase of any  
new piano in our store and one large art picture.

The next fifty largest number of sentences on the postal card will  
receive a factory piano bond for \$50, good on any new piano in our  
house and one large art picture.

The next fifty largest number of sentences will receive a factory  
piano bond for \$25, good on any new piano in our house and one  
large art picture.

ALL PERSONS SENDING IN CARDS WILL RECEIVE A PRIZE.

## OUR OFFER

The above rewards will be given by us and the manufacturers.  
We expect this advertising medium to enable us within a few days to  
sell as many pianos as would be sold through continuous, high  
priced advertising in this immediate locality in one year. When a  
teacher wishes to impress a word on the minds of pupils, he often re-  
quires them to write the word fifty to one hundred times. We want  
it impressed upon the music loving public that we sell only reliable  
pianos. That is why we have adopted this plan and it will mean  
hard work for the person who receives any of the large rewards.  
You should not overlook mailing your card at once.

## Directions

Take an ordinary postal card and draw a line through the cen-  
ter of the card, that is to say, up and down, or across, so the card is  
divided equally, it makes no difference which way you divide it. On  
one half of the card write "Tony Zender, the Music Man, sells only  
reliable pianos" as many times as you possibly can. On the other  
half write your name and address, plainly, mention "Ad. No. 12" and  
state how many times you have written the sentence. If you haven't  
a postal card handy, use a piece of paper the size of a postal card and  
mail to us.

In case of a tie, competing for any of the above prizes, the  
value will be divided equally among the tied contestants. All per-  
sons sending a list of sentences will be notified of their success on  
the night of March 15. All cards must be received by noon, March 15.

CONTEST CLOSES MONDAY NOON, 12 O'CLOCK  
MARCH 15.

**TONY ZENDER,**  
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WANTS, FOR RENT, LOSE,  
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WANTED—Experienced saleslady at  
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YEARS OF AGE AND UPWARD  
TO LEARN THE CIGAR MAK-  
ING TRADE. WILL PAY \$2.00  
PER WEEK FOR THE FIRST  
MONTH, \$3.50 PER WEEK FOR  
THE SECOND MONTH; THERE-  
AFTER NO MUCH PER HUN-  
DRED CIGARS. AFTER TRADE  
HAS BEEN ACQUIRED CAN  
EARN FROM \$4.00 TO \$12.00  
PER WEEK. INTERESTING EN-  
TIRLY ON SKILL AND SPEED  
OF WORKER. APPLY EITHER  
FACTORY, THE DEISEL-WERN-  
MEI CO. 109-1f

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—3 room house west  
North street. Bath room, chan-  
deliers. A cozy little home, \$15.  
The Dunn Co., 331 Holland block.  
Both phones. 9-6f

OR RENT—A desirable flat on car  
line, at corner of Metcalf and  
Vine streets. Call at The Park  
Grocery. oc17-1f

FOR RENT—1 very pleasant furni-  
shed room, hall entrance. All  
conveniences, privilege of light  
housekeeping if desired. North-  
east corner Metcalf and Sprung  
streets. th-sat-th

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Good stout work horses.  
Enquire E. D. Gast barber shop,  
No. 188 east Spring street. 9-21f

OIL PROPERTY FOR SALE—24 oil  
wells, also gas plant in Spencer-  
ville, Ohio. For information in-  
quire of J. C. Craig, Bolivar, New  
York. 9-6t-od

FOR SALE—Brand new 6-room  
house, West Side. Strictly mod-  
ern, furnace, bath room, fire place,  
halls and cold and city and cistern  
water, chandeliers, elegantly ap-  
pered. All modern conveniences  
and ready to occupy. Convenient  
to car line. A bargain at \$2,900.  
The Dunn Co., 331 Holland; both  
phones. 613 6-6f

INVESTIGATE TEXAS—Brown-  
sville is a corner. Let us tell you  
about it. The Dunn Co., 331 Hol-  
land block. 9-3f

FOR SALE—One 3 room house, 1 7  
room house and 1 5 room house,  
located at the corner of east Eu-  
reka and McPherson avenue. All  
in first-class condition and as good  
as new. Will sell in bunch or  
separate. Fine location. Will sell  
cheap if sold soon. Call New  
Phone 617-A. 1f

FOR TRADE—Automobile runabout.  
Excellent condition. Will take va-  
cations. The Dunn Co., 331 Hol-  
land Block. Both phones. 9-3f

## LOST.

LOST—Tuesday morning, Gold  
Watch FOB with initials C. J. H.  
Finder return to Number 10, care  
G. E. Blum 9-3f

## WINTER AND SUMMER.

Bryan O. March 10—Thomas J.  
Fetterhoff, seventy, and Miss Elva  
Peppers, eighteen, were married to-  
day. Fetterhoff is a farmer of  
Northwest township and a director  
of the Williams County Fair Associa-  
tion. The bride is a daughter of his  
tenant.

Wood's Liver Medicine is a liver  
regulator which brings quick relief  
to sick headache, constipation, bil-  
iousness and other symptoms of liver  
disorders. Particularly recom-  
mended for Jaundice, Chills, Fever,  
Malaria. The \$1.00 size contains  
245 times as much as the 50c size.  
Sold at Red Cross Drug Store. mar-3m

## WAS IN A TIGHT PLACE.

For many years Colonel Lee re-  
sided in Ninth street, New York, near  
the Hotel St. Denis. He is still re-  
membered by hundreds of New York-  
ers for his bright manner and happy  
apt remarks. When the project for  
erecting an equestrian statue to Gen-  
eral Washington in Union square was  
proposed Colonel Lee was intrusted  
with one of the subscription papers  
for circulation. Shortly after receiv-  
ing it he approached a well-known  
citizen and asked for a subscription.  
But the citizen declined to subscribe,  
stating in a rather pompous manner:  
"I do not consider, sir, that there is  
any necessity for a monument to Mr.  
Washington. His fame is undying,  
sir; he is enshrined in the hearts of  
his countrymen."  
"Is he enshrined in your heart?"  
softly inquired the colonel.  
"He is, sir."  
"Well, all I have to say," retorted  
Colonel Lee, "is that he is in a tight  
place."—New York Press.

## As Requested.

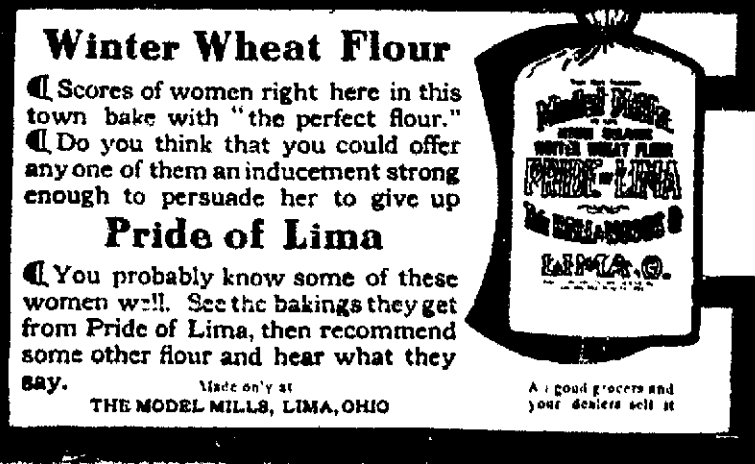
An official of the superior court of  
Cook county, Illinois, which has juris-  
diction in the matter of the natural-  
ization of foreigners, tells the follow-  
ing.

"In October last a man named Au-  
gust Hulsberger took out his first pa-  
pers. As he was about to leave the  
court room he was observed to scan  
very closely the official envelope in  
which had been enclosed the docu-  
ment that was to assist in his natu-  
ralization.

"In a few days August turned up  
again. Presenting himself to the  
clerk of the court, he bestowed upon  
that dignity a broad Teutonic smile,  
saying:  
"Well, here I vas."  
"Pleased to see you, I'm sure," said  
the clerk, with polite sarcasm.  
"Would you mind adding who you are  
and why you are here?"  
August seemed surprised. "It says,  
Return in five days," he explained.  
"und here I vas!"—Harper's Weekly.

## A TROUBLESOME STANDARD.

Unfortunately for congressional  
economists, there is a popular ten-  
dency to measure the importance of a  
nation by the amount it spends,  
rather than by what it saves.—Wash-  
ington Star.



**Winter Wheat Flour**  
Scores of women right here in this  
town bake with "the perfect flour."  
Do you think that you could offer  
any one of them an inducement strong  
enough to persuade her to give up  
**Pride of Lima**  
You probably know some of these  
women well. See the bakings they get  
from Pride of Lima, then recommend  
some other flour and hear what they  
say.  
Made only at  
THE MODEL MILLS, LIMA, OHIO  
A good grocer and  
your dealer sell it



## HELD ELECTION

W. O. W. SPENT ENTIRE MORNING WITH BUSINESS.

Several Positions Hotly Contested by the Various Candidates.

CANNOT FINISH THE WORK TODAY

And it is Probable Adjourned Session Will be Called Tomorrow.

This Evening Will be Occupied With Elaborate Banquet for All.

Head Consul, Wm. Reiss, Cleveland.  
Head Advisor, E. H. Goodside, Toledo.  
Head Escort, D. L. Smith, Columbus.  
Clerk, Henry Brodbeck, Columbus.  
Banker, T. A. Campbell, Wapakoneta.  
Watchman, E. D. Marshall, Springfield.  
Sentry, T. E. Bruce, Canton.  
Delegate-at-large, H. B. Garrett, Cleveland.

The entire morning was spent by the delegates to the state convention of the Woodmen of the World in the election of officers for the coming year. The above is the result, a number of the offices being hotly contested.

In that of head consul Col. Budd was the opponent of Mr. Reiss, but the vote was so heavy in favor of the latter that Col. Budd asked that he be made unanimous. The latter office of delegate at large was another which was desired by a large number and this was not decided until after noon.

In addition to the above officers the following managers were elected: Nicholas Koehler, Columbus; Albert Lang, Cincinnati; Col. George B. Budd, Cincinnati; Grant Smith, Norwalk; W. O. McClure, Lima.  
Head Consul J. F. Weigel, of Fremont, was called to be present this morning and called the meeting to order. The reports of the banker, and of the clerk were read, and both accepted prior to the election.

The credentials committee, composed of George Crane, Cleveland; A. W. Lang, Cincinnati; C. Greiner, Columbus, has reported favorably and Mr. Louis Stoeffel, of Cleveland, as the committee on congratulations to the sovereign commander, J. C. Reut, at Okla. Neb.

The memorial committee, made up of Messrs. W. H. Strope, Columbus; Chas. Roepke, Cleveland; Geo. Sharrow, Norwalk, has also reported.

Other committees have not reported. These include the mileage and per diem, which is composed of Nicholas Koehler, Columbus; C. C. Wilhoff, Dayton, and Arthur Artwood, Atwood, resolution committee, made up of W. C. Williams, of Bellevue; Capt. Walter Collins, Columbus; A. J. Sindelar, Cleveland, and the press committee, composed of C. L. Fess, Frank J. Kramer, of Cincinnati, and H. H. Graham, of Portsmouth.

Last night the greater part of the evening following the excellent pa-

rade was occupied by initiatory work. The parade took place between seven and eight o'clock and was headed by the Woodmen's band. The delegation made a good showing, and marched on the principal streets for half an hour or more.

The degree and initiatory work was put on by Lincoln Camp, No. 3, of Columbus, and the crack team for such work in the state. One candidate from Lima and one from Wapakoneta, were initiated.  
"Deacon" Geo. Sharrow, of Norwalk, introduced a motion that the triplets of L. S. Gilmore be remembered in some fitting and substantial way. It was decided to make up a purse for the three sturdy little fellows, and also to present each one with a ring with an appropriate inscription as a remembrance from the head Woodmen camp. A committee was appointed to care for this matter with Dr. R. V. Dickey as chairman, and the children were brought to the hall this afternoon to be presented to their unknown friends.

The Head Camp was presented with a beautiful gift by Grant Smith, of Norwalk, O. This is a complete set of tools, the bedel, axe and wedge, all made of the most handsome and rare woods, and carved and beautifully inlaid. The set contains over three hundred different bits of wood, artistically put together and will be handed down from one clerk to the next as one of the treasures of the Head Camp.

At the election of the delegate at large, H. H. Graham, of Portsmouth, was made alternate with Mr. Harry B. Garrett, of Cleveland, as regular delegate.

The vote for the next place of meeting was taken at two-thirty this afternoon but had not been counted at press time. The three cities of Springfield, Dayton and Toledo are all in line for the convention of 1911 and it is impossible to say which will be the winner.

The banquet from eight to twelve will occupy the entire evening session and there is yet so much business before the convention that an additional session tomorrow will probably be held.

## BRINKLEY DEAD LIST

Totals Twenty-nine With Seventy Four Hurt in Tornado.

## MARTIAL LAW IS IN FORCE.

Cities of Southwest Are Raising Funds to Aid the People.

Brinkley, Ark., March 10.—Twenty-nine persons dead and seventy-four injured, is Brinkley's list of casualties from the tornado of Monday night.

Outside of Brinkley thirteen persons were killed and forty-six were injured, several of whom may die.

Governor Donaghy, who arrived here yesterday from Little Rock, has declared martial law and placed the situation in the hands of the sheriff. All of the dead and injured have been properly cared for and large forces of men are at work clearing away wreckage. One hundred convicts from the state penitentiary have been ordered here to assist in the work.

Meetings are being held in Little Rock, Helena and other cities today for the purpose of raising money and supplies for the destitute.

The tornado entered the state from the southwest and swept over seven counties to the northeast. Belated reports from small towns tell of death and injury to many persons and a large property loss.

## TEMPERANCE WOMEN

To Petition Mrs. Taft That She Keep Principles of W. C. T. U.

IN MIND WHILE IN WHITE HOUSE.

Large Attendance Present at Business Meeting in Y. M. C. A.

The W. C. T. U. met in the Y. M. C. A. building Tuesday afternoon, March 9, 1909, in a business meeting, the attendance being large.

Devotional exercises consisted in reading of 8th Psalm by president, Prayer by Mrs. Reed. Song entitled "All for Jesus" by W. C. T. U. trio.

After the session was opened for business, the superintendent of the Flower Mission read letters of thanks from those who had been recipients of the blossoms during the moments they were shut in from their friends, showing the mission had its own good work to do.

O the flowers, the beautiful flowers, How they brighten this world of ours!

It was decided that a petition be sent to Mrs. Taft requesting that the principles of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union be remembered during her occupancy of the White House.

Mrs. N. O. Toy read a very interesting article from the Christian Herald on temperance in the United States.

The announcement was made in the papers of December 18, last, that the Emperor of Germany has decided henceforth to abstain from intoxicating liquors as a beverage, and personally to use at state banquets and receptions, a temperance beverage, specially prepared for that purpose. This is, as far as we know, the first time in modern history that any crowned monarch has announced such an intention. At the regular weekly Methodist preachers' meeting held in New York, suitable resolutions were drafted reciting the gratifications in this country would receive the news of Emperor William's decision, and expressing the appreciation of the immense influence, that such an act, by one of the world's rulers must exert everywhere.

It was planned that in our parlor meetings, light refreshments would be served and a small collection taken to increase our funds.

Mrs. Spake, of Toledo, was a guest of the afternoon.

The W. C. T. U. trio rendered a beautiful selection "Jesus Savior Pilot Me," after which the meeting adjourned with the W. C. T. U. benediction.

## COLUMBUS WIFE COMMITS SUICIDE.

Columbus, March 10.—Mrs. Carroll, 44 years old, wife of Daniel Carroll, superintendent of the Columbus Chain Company, committed suicide at the family residence about 4 o'clock this morning by taking a quantity of carbolic acid. She was found in a dying condition at the foot of the stairs by her husband.

Mrs. Carroll had been in ill health for about a year and it is thought she took the poison in a moment when she was mentally irresponsible. Mrs. Carroll was the mother of 10 children, seven of whom are living.

Sick headaches, constipation and biliousness are relieved by Rings Little Liver Pills. They cleanse the system. Do not gripe. Price 25c. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store. mar-3m



SET OF HANDS (LARGE AND SMALL) OF CLOCK TO BE PLACED ON TOWER OF NEW METROPOLITAN BUILDING.

New York, March 10.—On the building of the Self-Winding Clock Company, at Grand and Willoughby avenues, Brooklyn, just now are to be seen the largest hands that have ever been made for a clock. They are destined for the tower of the Metropolitan Life Building. They are now being tested.

Fourteen feet from the centre pin to the tip is the length of the minute hand, and there is six feet of counterpoise, making a hand twenty feet over all. The hour hand is eleven feet long. In making a sweep around the circle the minute hand passes three stories of the building. When one of the hands is in front of a window it is necessary for those working within to cease work, owing to the hand completely shutting out light.

These hands are made of manganese and bronze and are of bridge truss construction. They weigh more than 1,700 pounds. Over the hands there is a covering of wireglass which will allow of illumination. Through each hand there are twenty-four inch electrical tubes, in pairs. When the hands are illuminated it is estimated that it will be possible on a clear night to tell the time they mark at a distance of twenty-four miles. They will be about four hundred feet above ground level.

There is to be a clock on each of the four sides of the tower. There will be a seven thousand pound bell, with a hammer weighing 170 pounds and four smaller bells to strike the Westminster chimes. Three months have been spent in the construction of the pair of hands and four sets are necessary. The clocks will be operated by electricity.

## CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Hoar* WERE NAMELESS.

Limaites Attempted to Secure License at Sidney.

The Sidney News of yesterday tells the story of the frustrated plans of a couple from this city who expected to get a marriage license and be married in that city.

A well-dressed stranger who said that his home was at Lima called at the probate judge's office this afternoon and made a request of Miss Hennessey, the deputy, for a marriage license. When it was found that both he and his prospective bride were residents of Lima the license was refused, but he was politely informed that they might go on to Kentucky, where they would have no trouble in getting married.

The stranger's prospective bride waited at the Western Ohio depot while he was endeavoring to secure the license and a look of disappointment came over her face when he informed her that it could not be secured here. The last seen of the couple in this city was when they boarded the 1:30 car for the north. Their names could not be learned.

## CHARITY WARDS

Must be Admitted Free to Public Schools.

Boards of education must admit pupils or wards from all children's homes, whether private or public, no connected for profit. The board of Clinton township, Knox county, refused to take children from the Home for the Friendless which was removed from Mt. Vernon to the township, without tuition fee being paid for them. The court affirms the board's ruling which was that they should be admitted to the schools and educated.

## ARMORY BILL

Passed by the House of Representatives.

With three votes to spare, the Lawver state armory bill was passed by the house of representatives yesterday afternoon and will now go to the governor for his signature, the bill having been passed several weeks ago by the senate. This bill provides for the creation of an armory commission of four O. N. G. officers, who may lease or build state armories. The bill provides an amount of \$15,000 for the first company in any one city, and \$10,000 for each company thereafter. The amount for the building of the armories is raised by a tax of 10 cents per head on the citizens of the state.

SEVEN: For Peter's appetite try baking powder biscuits made of Gold Medal Flour. MARIA.

Saved by Wireless.

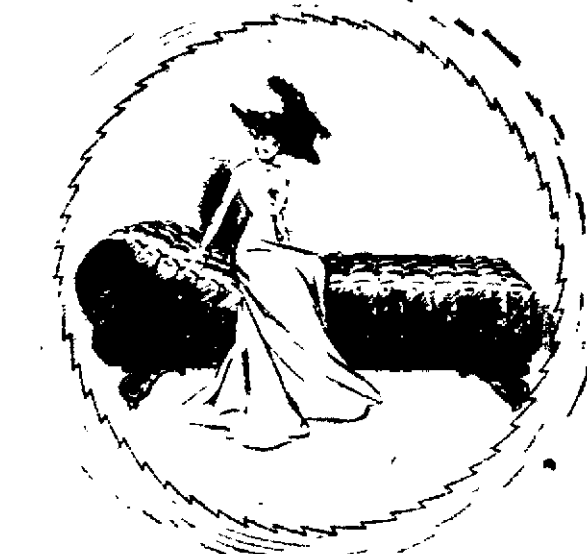
Republic disaster at Royal Theater.

TO NATURAL GAS PATRONS.

ALL NATURAL GAS BILLS MUST BE PAID ON OR BEFORE THE TENTH OF THE MONTH TO SAVE THE DISCOUNT. DISCOUNT CAN NOT BE ALLOWED TO ANY ONE PAYING THEIR BILLS AFTER THE TENTH OF THE MONTH.

THE NATURAL GAS CO.

## New Designs in Spring Furniture



The constant endeavor of our Furniture Department is to present something out of the ordinary—Furniture in other words, unlike that which is offered by any other store.

In securing Furniture of distinctive individuality for our customers, a fine quality of material, workmanship and finish is necessarily obtained. Ours is the kind of Furniture which will grace the most elegant house, as it will add a great measure of comfort and a pleasing touch of refinement to any home.

Our big purchases give us special prices which means that you get better values here than elsewhere.

\$10.50 Patent Leather Couch.

all steel supported construction.

at \$3.50.

Genuine Leather Couches, regular \$40 and \$45, at \$34 and \$38.

New Couches, adjustable end Davenport, Stationary end Davenport, and Bed Davenport.

We are offering all of the new pieces at a less price than ever.

They are made better, more stylish, and more comfort, \$20 to \$50.

The best and most up-to-date assortment of leather and wood seat rockers, \$6.50 to \$20.

\$6.99 Leather Parlor Suit at \$48.00.

Your attention is especially called to a 3-piece Parlor Suit at \$35.

We have never shown the equal of it for less than \$45.

Our special 3-piece Suit solid quartered oak, fabricoid upholstering at \$29.85.

Neat style high arm genuine Leather Mahogany Rockers.

The solid quartered oak buffets

we are showing at \$18 and \$21 are splendid good bargains.

New and improved patterns of sideboards at \$16.50 to \$30.00.

5 leg dining Tables, 6, 8 and 10 ft. lengths, solid oak, splendid finish, \$8.50 to \$20.

Pillar extension Tables, 6 ft and 8 ft. extension, solid oak, \$13.50 to \$15.00.

Some of our best and most stylish tables in medium quality at \$16.50 to \$25.00.

## Lavish Display of Spring Carpets and Rugs

Have you seen the fine showing of Carpets and Rugs for Spring? Have you examined the textures—note the patterns—and compared these splendid floor-coverings with others at similar prices? Can you believe what you see?—when it comes to such remarkable values at such reasonable figures?

It's only because we discriminate in buying direct from the makers. We reject all dubious designs and doubtful products—we believe in safe-guarding our customers.

You can't buy a thing here that isn't full money's worth—because we HAVEN'T IT. Come—and you'll appreciate how we can add to the comfort of your home.



At no time in our existence

have we been in position to show

such a large assortment of rugs

in the various size, at such prices.

Tapestry Brussels Rugs, room sizes, at \$12 to \$16.00. Patterns are better, colorings are prettier and quality as good as can be made.

\$26.50 and \$30.00 Axminster Rugs, \$22 and \$20.

Velvet and Body Brussels Rugs, 9x12 size, at \$25.00.

Many new and attractive patterns of inlaid and printed Linoleums.

2 yards wide Linoleum, 45c to 62c per yard.

4 yards wide Linoleum, made of ground cork and thoroughly seasoned under heavy pressure, 66c to 80c per yard.

The prettiest and cleanest patterns ever shown.

20 patterns of domestic and imported Linoleums, prices ranging from 95c to \$1.45 per yard.

Can supply Linoleum 5 yards wide.

All Wool Ingrain Carpets, best grade 75c.

New designs, new colorings, best quality, extra heavy, attractive patterns and colors of wool filled Ingrain Carpets, 55c to 65c per yard.

50 styles best grade of Tapestry Brussels Carpets at 65c to \$1.00 per yard.

Velvets and Axminster Carpets with or without borders to match at \$1.10 to \$1.40 per yard.

Several patterns of Wilton and Body Brussels Carpets at \$1.50 to \$1.75 per yard.

## NEWSON-BOND CO.

## MACCABEES

Had Splendid Entertainment Last Night.

The Knights of the Maccabees, who gave an excellent entertainment in their hall last night, were more than pleased with the large crowd which attended.

The program had been carefully prepared and included a number of splendid orchestra numbers, vocal numbers by some of Lima's best vocalists and readings by Miss Gorman and Miss Finicle.

The audience was in a happy humor and everything pleased. Encore after encore was demanded and in most cases received. The readings were especially pleasing, and the crowd would have gladly listened to twice as many, had they had that privilege.

A social time followed the program, and the several hundred who attended had another good time while they greeted their friends and met new acquaintances.

## KING EDWARD IN GOOD HEALTH.

LONDON, March 10.—King Edward was reported yesterday as being in good health, and he had quite recovered from the signs of fatigue noticed at his arrival at Biarritz. He walked in the town and visited the golf links in the afternoon.

It was announced from Pau last night that King Edward was planning to go there from Biarritz the end of the week to witness a series of aeroplane flights by Wilbur Wright.

LONDON, March 10.—There is absolutely no confirmation in London of the reports emanating from Biarritz and published in the United States that King Edward is seriously ill.

Paris, March 10.—There is no confirmation here of the reports published in the United States that King Edward, who is at Biarritz, is seriously ill. The king was described as looking very well.

HONOR: Order Gold Medal Flour next time. FRANKS.

## USE OUR MONEY

1908—TO PAY YOUR BILLS—1908

Start the New Year with a clear record by paying off all these small bills and owe but one. We loan from Five Dollars to One Hundred Dollars on all kinds of Chattels, such as Household Goods, Pianos, Horses, Carriages, Etc. All payments are arranged to suit your income. The Old Reliable

## LIMA LOAN COMPANY,

209 Opera House Block, Lima, O. Both Phones.

## MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL FOR RASOR.

Medina, O., March 10.—A motion for a new trial of Guy Rasor, convicted of manslaughter for the murder of Orle Lee, was filed in court Tuesday afternoon by the prisoner's attorney, Arthur VanBuren.

The reasons given for a re-trial of Guy Rasor are misconduct on the part of the members of the jury, and that the verdict was contrary to law.

## ASKS LEGAL ADVICE.

Washington, March 10.—Marines may not be reassigned to duty to battleships and armored cruisers despite the recent provision of congress that money appropriated for the maintenance of the marine corps must not be used unless the marines are aboard the warships. Secretary of the Navy Meyer has asked the opinion of the attorney general regarding the constitutionality of the restoration provision.

## MARIETTA QUICK IN HER RESPONSE.

Columbus, O., March 10.—Immediately upon learning of the passage of the National Guard Armory bill, the Marietta board of trade, by its president, H. C. Chamberlain, wired Adjutant General Weybrecht that the city would give the guard a choice site for an armory. This is the first proposition of the kind to be received. It is thought that many other cities will do likewise.

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and

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For a limited time we offer a world globe, twelve inches in diameter, on a standard, and the World's Events Magazine, for one year, for \$2.95.

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SEE OUR WINDOW

## NOTICE.

The Ladies Aid Society of the United Brethren church will meet with Mrs. Greenwalt, of 428 McPherson avenue all day Thursday.

## The Holm Decorating Store

take this opportunity in announcing their opening to the public on the 11th day of March, from 2 to 6 P. M., at 124 N. Elizabeth St., between the Post Office and Y. M. C. A., in location formerly occupied by the 99c store.

All the newest designs and colorings in wall paper, both domestic and foreign, are to be seen here, in reach of all. All papers are strictly new and this years Patterns. We are also specialists in interior decorations, painting and varnishing.

You are cordially invited to call and see us.

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KARL HOLM, M'gr.

New Phone 1057C Bell 1272.







## JURY IS TOLD

IN CASE OF GOVERNMENT AGAINST STANDARD

In Rehearing of Twenty-nine Million Dollar Case

THAT DEFENDANT IS NOT GUILTY.

Judge Anderson so Ruled This Afternoon and Thus Ended

For the Present What Was the Most Celebrated Case in Years.

Chicago, March 10.—Judge Anderson today decided to instruct the jury in the Standard Oil case to find the company not guilty.

The decision of the court was announced at the close of a long argument by Assistant District Attorney Wilkerson and the jury was immediately summoned and instructed to return a verdict of not guilty. This means all but two of the pending indictments against the Standard Oil Company of Indiana are void and will be abandoned by the government. The two cases not affected by today's decision are the cases involving the shipment of 1913 car loads of oil from Whiting, Ind., to Evansville, Ind., via the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad.

Chicago, March 10.—The retrial on the Standard Oil Company, of Indiana on charges of accepting rebates from the Chicago and Alton Railroad opened today upon a crucial stage.

In the face of repeated rulings by Judge Anderson tending to make more difficult the proving of their case, the government attorneys had over night decided to abandon the idea of additions to the bill of particulars, covering the defects pointed out by the court, and began arguments in the hope of inducing Judge Anderson to reverse his decision. The Standard Oil lawyers expressed the opinion that the case would be brought to a close soon, but the federal attorneys said they were prepared to fight until the issue was actually thrown out of court.

The first line of argument was against the court's indicted decision that the 18 cent freight rate under which the indictment was drawn, would not be established by means of the Illinois classification. According to the government's point of view, the published rate on oil from Whiting, Ind., to East St. Louis was 18 cents. This was established by means of tariff 24 in its application to the Illinois classification issued in 1898.

In 1900 a new Illinois classification was issued and that interpretation of the court's opinion is that this invited the old tariffs.

It there was no legal published rate, as the defense claims, the oil company cannot be prosecuted for making shipments at a six cent rate.

The prosecution today ended in failure, after having once been tried by Judge K. M. Landis, whose decision was reversed by the court of appeals and the case remanded to the district court for a second trial, had its beginning August 27, 1906.

On that date ten indictments were returned by a federal grand jury charging the Standard Oil Company of Indiana with accepting concessions from Whiting, Ind. Demurrers to two of these involving shipments over the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad and connecting roads to Grand Junction, Tenn., were sustained and the indictments were quashed shortly after they had been returned. The eight remaining bills were deemed to not the demurrers were overruled.

Two of the eight indictments involved shipments over the Chicago and Alton road from Whiting, Ind., to East St. Louis, Ill., and St. Louis, Mo., containing 1903 counts and the other 134 counts. It was the 1903 count indictment on which the oil company prosecution was based. With 116 counts allowed to stand the case went to trial before Judge Landis, March 1, 1907. The trial was given six weeks and resulted in a verdict of guilty April 13, 1907.

Arguments for a new trial were heard in May and for a motion for a new trial was denied. On August 3, 1907 Judge Landis imposed his famous \$25,240,000 fine.

On appeal the case went to the United States circuit court of appeals and was argued a year ago. The decision of the court of appeals reversing Judge Landis and remanding the case for a new trial was given July 22, 1908. Attempts of the government to obtain a re-hearing of the case before the appellate court, as well as their endeavors to secure a review of it before the United States supreme court failed. A second trial was begun before Judge Anderson February 23.

The question of whether or not the celebrated case should be continued hinged on the introduction of evidence of tariff 24 in its application to the Illinois classification in 1898, making a rate of 18 cents on oil from Whiting, Ind., to East St. Louis and which attorneys for the defense contended had been superseded by a later classification. Judge Anderson after a few minutes discussion of the case to the jury explained his position and announced that if the case was to go to the jury and a verdict of guilty was returned

he could do nothing but set aside the verdict. There is absolutely nothing on which a conviction in this case could stand before any court in this country, the court said in his charge to the jury. The government has failed to prove its contention that the 18 cent rate was the lawful rate between Whiting and East St. Louis and the defendant had willfully accepted a lower rate and there is therefore nothing to do but for the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty.

Judge Anderson's charge to the jury follows: "Gentlemen of the jury: I have made up my mind to end this case. You, as jurors, have a perfunctory office to perform and the evidence you have heard, as presented by the government may have given you some opinion of your own as to how this case should be decided. You have no arbitrary power. Remember I am a federal judge, any such power, I am bound by the law as you are.

"When the United States court of appeals lays down the law we are bound by our oaths to obey this law. The Standard Oil Co. has been indicted and the government avers in this indictment that a rate of 18 cents per hundred pounds on shipments of oil was a fixed standard and that regardless of that the Chicago and Alton gave the defendant concessions, allowing the oil company to ship oil over its road at a rate of 6 cents. The government failed to prove the charge.

"The Standard Oil Company is charged with a criminal offense and therefore before a jury can find the defendant guilty it must be shown beyond all reasonable doubt that there was a definitely fixed rate of 18 cents. The court cannot say that these two instruments prove the existence of a standard, in this case meaning 18 cents.

"The proof offered by the evidence does not support the charges relative to the Chappell, Indiana, shipments. Consequently the defendant cannot be found guilty on charges that embrace shipments from that point to St. Louis.

"Proof of shipments has not been made with reference to the alleged illegal shipments of oil from Whiting, Indiana, and consequently the defendant cannot be held on charges of accepting rebates on shipments from that place.

"Altogether I feel that the government has failed to sustain the allegations in the indictments against the Standard Oil Company. Should this jury find the defendant guilty, I would set aside such a verdict instantly as I feel the United States court of appeals would."

The foreman of the jury then signed this verdict: "We the jury find the defendant not guilty."

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. MOTHER AND CHILDREN BURN.

Albany, N. Y., March 10.—Mrs. Millard Bilman and her two children burned to death today in a fire which destroyed their home near Huntersville.

EXAMINING PLANS. Home Telephone Company Will Build Soon.

The officers of the Lima Telephone and Telegraph company are now considering plans for a handsome new structure to be erected by them on the lot immediately west of the court house. While no definite plans have been accepted, the company will erect a building to cost not less than \$50,000, which, together with the new Blum block and the Elks home, will cause an expenditure of over \$100,000 in the one block on west North street, during the summer.

FAMOUS WHISTLER WANTS DAMAGES.

Cincinnati, March 10 Suit was filed in the United States district court here today for \$40,000 by Alice J. Shaw, the famous whistler against Charles E. Heiser, executor of the estate of David Howell, late wealthy merchant of Hamilton, Ohio. Miss Shaw is at present playing an engagement in New York. Her allegation is that she promised Howell to marry and that because of their friendship and her promise he had agreed to care for her for life. His will left her an annuity of \$300, which she says is not sufficient to keep her, hence the suit.

A RUNAWAY HUSBAND.

A husband who has run away eight times in a year is made a matter of complaint. Surely a resourceful wife could find some method of keeping him from coming back.—Philadelphia Ledger.

THE CLAMOR OF THE WOMEN.

The world has changed considerably since Sir Walter Scott wrote, and the human race, too. In the light of Wednesday's great demonstrations by representatives of the gentler sex on both sides of the Atlantic one must feel that while woman, in her hours of ease, is still uncertain and hard to please, she has ceased to be coy. The word "coy" signifies, variously, bashful, modest, reserved, not accessible, to treat with reserve, to condescend unwillingly, shy, strange. The multitude of women, educated, presumably social position, who are represented by the alleged dissidence of the same before the senate judiciary committee at Albany, had none of these qualities, unless one may be permitted to call them strange. They were not bashful and they threw reserve to the winds; they condescended willingly to mingle with politicians and pleaded their case with all the gusto and shrewdness of political leaders.—New York Times.

ALWAYS!

The man who walks the floor at night. With baby until you, that's a trick. Will always tell you that's a trick. He never has to do.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

## LARGEST FOUNTAIN.

Giant Springs, Near Great Falls, Montana. So Called.

Near the Great Falls of the Missouri in north-central Montana are some very large springs that present certain unique geologic features and suggest an interesting problem as to the source of the water. These springs, known locally as Giant Springs, were discovered in 1884 by Captain Lewis, the Lewis and Clark expedition, who described them as the "largest fountain in the United States."

These springs, which are on the south side of Missouri River, about three miles below the town of Great Falls, Montana, issue through large faults in a medium to coarse-grained sandstone on the bank of the river at the water's edge and in the bed of the river itself. The situation of the springs makes exact measurement of their flow very difficult, but the difference between two measurements of the flow of the Missouri—one above and the other below the springs—has been assumed to be the quantity of water furnished to the river by the springs. According to E. T. Nettleton, this amount is approximately 638 cubic feet a second—the equivalent of 24 hours—a veritable underground river. The water, which boils up with considerable force, is clear and relatively pure, containing no more dissolved salts than the average well water of the Great Falls region. It has a temperature of about 50° F.

Report by the Geological Survey. In connection with an investigation of the geology and water resources of the Great Falls region, C. A. Fisher, of the United States Geological Survey, made a careful study of the geologic relations of the springs, from which it appears that the water is derived from the sub-river flow of the Missouri that leaves its valley near the mouth of Sand Coulee and passes down a channel that was occupied by the river in preglacial time. From Gibson Flat, an oxbow of this old river channel, the water makes its escape by a subterranean passage through porous sandstones and sandy shales to the present Missouri River, where it appears in Giant Springs. Mr. Fisher believes that the water in these rocks is an important factor in the underground movement of the water and states that well borings in lower Sand Coulee and Gibson Flat demonstrate that the materials filling the old valley are largely coarse river sediments well adapted for the rapid percolation of water.

No use is made of the water of the Giant Springs. Mr. Fisher's report on the water resources of the Giant Falls region has been published by the Geological Survey as Water-Supply Paper 221, copies of which may be obtained free of charge by applying to the Director of the Survey at Washington, D. C.

## MULTUM IN CALIFORNIA.

Climates of All Kinds Produced While You Wait.

The Californian claims the greatest valley in the world, for the most beautiful, in the Yosemite; the finest trout streams, the deepest national parks, and last, and by no means least, the finest climate, of all kinds and variety.

If you say the climate is too "sunny," that there is too much pleasant weather, he will quote the fog records for 30 years. If you sigh for sleighing, says George, he has the records of Quincy, Plumas county, at his tongue's end where the snow has been 40 feet on the level.

Then the desert palm forests, the Muir woods of giant redwoods, the marine forests of kelp, the lake of tar 1,000,000 years old, where you can fish for sabre tooth tigers with a pick, and get them, too; the glaciers, the missions—America's old ruins—the climates, suited to Panama or Eskimo; climates of all kinds and varieties on hand and produced while you wait.

Where can you bathe in the ocean in comfort, pick strawberries and oranges, and go sleighing and snow-balling all in one day? In California, of course. Where are the biggest fruits, the most stupendous stretches of flowers, the most generous gold producing mines? And there is so much of this true that one may as well surrender at once.

## DOCTOR'S ORDERS KEPT HER VERY BUSY.

A prominent physician of Baltimore tells of an amusing experience when the early days of his practice when he was residing in a small town where by far the majority of the workers were coal miners.

"I was greatly distressed by the unsanitary conditions prevailing in their cottages," said the doctor, "and among other things I tried to explain to each household the importance of maintaining a wholesome atmosphere in the sleeping rooms. I laid in a stock of thermometers, which were distributed in the households where they were most needed. I took pains to point out to each family in turn just how the thermometer would indicate the proper degree of temperature."

"As I was making the rounds one day I inquired of a woman at the head of one establishment, wherein I observed my thermometer proudly displayed at the end of a string, whether she had followed my instructions."

"Yes, sir," answered she, "I'm very careful about the temperature. I watch the thing all the time as it hangs up there."

"What do you do when the temperature rises above 68°?"

"I take it down, sir, an' put it outside till it cools off a bit."—Newark Star.

## A BLIND HERO.

The New York blind man who carried one child and led two others down the stairs of a burning building furnished an evidence of affliction serving a useful purpose. He probably made better success of going through a familiar building in the smoke than a sighted person could make.—Buffalo Express.

How can any person risk taking some unknown cure remedy when Foley's Honey and Tar costs them no more? It is a safe remedy, contains no harmful drugs and cures the most obstinate coughs and colds. Why experiment with your health? Insist upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold at Proprietor Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Enterprise.

## "FRIENDS."

An unusual example of strong personal attachment between two individuals in whom sentiment might have been supposed to have been crowded aside by the pressing responsibilities which rested upon both, is furnished in President Taft's generous and eloquent tribute to Theodore Roosevelt which was made public in Collier's Weekly of March 6.

With all the important demands made upon their time by the great affairs presiding their active attention, President Taft and Mr. Roosevelt found opportunity to study the individual traits of each other, and to become sincere and devoted friends.

That this sentiment was not hindered or in any sense weakened by the sharp contrast in the temperaments of these two men or by conditions that might have excited rivalry or distrust in persons of a less noble mind than that in which the president and the ex-president are cast, is demonstrated in a manner at once convincing and felicitous by Mr. Taft's tender and spontaneous testimonial to his predecessor in the White House. The "close and sweet intimacy," to quote the language of the new president, which has existed for years between him and Theodore Roosevelt, makes it happily obvious that the force and the positive qualities that equip men to perform great works fit them also for the enjoyment of sympathetic and endearing friendships.—Kansas City Star.

A guaranteed cough remedy is Bees Laxative Cough Syrup. For coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, hoarseness and all bronchial affections. Best for children because it is quick to relieve and tastes good. Gently laxative. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store. mar-3m

## SUCCESSFUL FACES.

A prison chaplain was asked what he thought about the possibility of a face being altered by development of character.

"Certainly a man can change his face by changing his thoughts and habits," he said. "I have seen it especially among boys who came under the Borstal system. When they arrive they are hang-dog or defiant, haggard, with evil manners, laziness and lack of character written in every feature. As the steady work and the regular hours and the wholesome feeding tell upon them they rapidly improve."

"They find for the first time that someone is taking an interest in them. They gain self-respect. Their eyes look straight at you; their jaw-lines soften. I have even seen their noses change. (It is the nose that gives the face character, I think). In many older men, too, I have noticed distinct alteration. Expression is mainly a matter of lines, and there is no doubt one can get rid of certain disfiguring lines by refusing to let the mind perpetuate them."

A physician with a large practice among men declares not only that he can tell at a glance when a man suffers his consulting room whether he is a success or not, but what profession he is. "Lawyers are easy. They have such firm, assertive mouths. Soldiers are easy; they are betrayed by their deep, thoughtful eyes and round firm jaw-lines. Musicians have beautifully moulded lips, and usually their long hair gives them away."

"Men who succeed in commerce have alert faces, but no particular features. Clergymen who go up the ladder of preferment have faces which tell of self-repression—tight lips, eyes which look straight ahead. Artists, on the other hand, have eyes which are all over the place and small, well-formed chins. Politicians who succeed by their influence over men have always prominent noses."

## UMPRICAL.

Beginning April 14th the zone of hostility in the Balkan will shift to the bleachers. But the umpires will have to stand for it, as this is the only way they can earn their salaries.—Indianapolis News.

Piniculas are for backache, and bring quick relief to lumbago, rheumatism, kidney and all other symptoms of kidney diseases. They are a tonic to the entire system and build up strength and health. Price 50c and \$1.00. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store. mar-3m

## WOMEN'S WOES.

Lima Women Are Finding Relief at Last.

It does seem that women have more than a fair share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity; they must "keep up," must attend to duties in school or in the office, in the home, or in the street, and they must stoop over, when to stoop means torture. They must walk and bend and work with racking pains and many aches from suffering ills.

Kidneys cause more suffering than any other organ of the body. Keep the kidneys well and health is easily maintained. Read of a remedy for kidneys only that helps and cures the kidneys, and is endorsed by people you know.

Mrs. J. M. McClintock, 741 north West street, Lima, O., says: "For years I had a weakness of my kidneys. There was a heavy pain in my loins, and while it was not severe enough to confine me to the house, it was a great annoyance. I tried many remedies, but nothing seemed to do me the least good until seeing Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended. I procured a box at McVie's drug store and began using them. I felt better almost at once. From the results obtained, I have no hesitation in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills."

The above statement was made October 18, 1898, and on September 6, 1904, Mrs. McClintock added: "I can now state that the cure I received six years ago has been permanent. I have had continued freedom from kidney trouble."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McIlburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## MEN!

The greatest asset you have is your strength. You can't afford to give out. It is a vital necessity that you have your nervous and muscular system in perfect order to withstand the constant wear and tear of your daily work.

The finest tissue builder and strength creator is Vinol, a Cod Liver preparation that has the greasy, nauseating oil eliminated—only the valuable medicinal properties being combined with peptonate of iron. Its use will keep you in health and strength.

DEBILITY results from a weakened condition due to imperfect digestion, lack of nutrition or overwork. Vinol strengthens the digestive organs, creates a healthy appetite and makes new blood. You lose that fatigue, weakness and run down feeling when you take Vinol.

NERVOUSNESS is a complaint that can be readily overcome by using Vinol. It repairs broken down nerve tissue and builds strong, healthy nerves that enable you to withstand the worries and annoyances unavoidable in business.

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YOUR MONEY BACK IF VINOL FAILS TO HELP YOU. H. F. VORTKAMP, LIMA, OHIO. You can get Vinol at the Leading Drug Store in every Town and City in This State.

## WHY THE MARQUIS PAID.

The famous surgeon, Velpieu, was visited one day at his house during the consultation hour by a marquis renowned for his closeness. Velpieu informed the marquis that an operation was urgent, and that the fee would amount to 4000 francs. At this the marquis made a face and left. A fortnight later Dr. Velpieu, while making his rounds in the Hospital de la Charite, had his attention attracted by a face that seemed familiar to him. In answer to his inquiry, it was stated that the patient was a footman of a nobleman in the Faubourg Saint Germain. The surgeon found that his case resembled in every particular the somewhat unusual one for which the marquis had consulted him a fortnight previously. He refrained, however, from making any comments. Three weeks after the operation, when the patient was about to be discharged, Dr. Velpieu called him aside and exclaimed: "Monsieur, I am extremely flattered and pleased to have been able to cure you. There is, however, a small formality with which you will have to comply before I can sign your check; that is, you will have to sign a check for 10,000 francs in behalf of the public charity bureau of your metropolitan district. The patient's face became livid.

"You can do what you like about it," continued the doctor, "but if you refuse all Paris will know tomorrow that the Marquis de D. adopted the disguise of a footman in order to secure free treatment at this hospital and to usurp the place which belongs by right to a pauper." Of course, the marquis paid.—Cleveland Leader.

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life."

O. A. Wolkush, Cashier, M. Sold at Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

## WHISTLING ON THE SABBATH.

Concerning the Scottish reprohibition of whistling on the Sabbath, Dean Ramsay has a characteristic story. A famous Glasgow artist met an old Highland acquaintance unexpectedly. "Donald, what brought you here?" "Oh, well, sir, it was a bad place you; they were bad folk—but they're a God-fearin' set of folk here." "Well, Donald, I'm glad to hear it." "Oh, ay, sir, 'deed are they; an' I'll give ye an instance o't. Last Sabbath just as the kirk was skellin' there was a drover chieftain frae Dumfries comin' along the road whistlin', an' lookin' as happy as it was in middle o' the week. Next mornin' he was a God-fearin' set o' lauds, an' they were just comin' out o' the kirk—'kidded they'—'kidded him'—an' 'kidded him'—London Chronicle.

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An Ideal Cough Medicine. "As an ideal cough medicine I regard Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in a class by itself," says Dr. R. A. Wilshire, of Cuyahoga Falls, Ind. "I take great pleasure in testifying to the results of Chamberlain's Cough Medicine. In fact, I know of no other preparation that meets so fully the expectations of the most exacting in cases of croup and coughs of children. As it contains no opium, chloroform or morphia it certainly makes a most safe, pleasant and effective remedy for all the ills it is intended to cure."

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ALPINE TROUPE OF Five Aerial Artists.

LA BOUTH &amp; CAIN, Black Face Musical Act.

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Matinee daily, 10c. Night, 7:30 and 9:30. 10c and 20c. Children's special matinee Saturday, 5c. Grand concert Sunday evening, 8:15.

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ONE NIGHT ONLY

The New England Comedy.

MISS PETTICOATS.

Dramatized from the popular book of the same name.

PRICES:

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Samuel E. Rorke Presents the Big Musical Extravaganza,

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Prices—25 cents to \$1.50.

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## HALF MILLION DOLLARS AND MORE LOANED HOME BUILDERS IN LIMA AND VICINITY

By the Lima Home &amp; Savings Association and its desire is to add others to this large class of thrifty people whose ambition is to own their own homes. If you want to buy or build a home in town or country, make application with us, we will make a loan equal to two-thirds of the appraisal and charge you 6 per cent interest, straight. The loan can be paid off in full, or in even hundred dollars at any time.

We also ask the patronage of the depositing class and pay 5 per cent interest, compounded semi-annually. Please observe the security for your deposits. The first mortgages we take on homes act as the depositor's security and are his protection. Come in and let us talk over the details with you.

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## TRIAL FOR DAMAGES

Much Time Consumed in Securing a Jury in Injury Case.

## DIVORCE SOUGHT FOR ABSENCE.

Interesting Session of Trustees and Road Superintendents.

The case of John Blakely against the Lake Erie & Western Railway Company, the Western Union Telegraph Company and the United States Express Company, came to trial this morning. Nearly the entire time of today's session was consumed in securing a jury. The case, of which an outline was given by the Times-Democrat of yesterday, is one of the most interesting from a legal standpoint, that has been tried in the local courts for years, and accordingly a large crowd is present in the court room to hear the taking of evidence.

**Willful Absence.**  
William Stepleton is the plaintiff in a suit for divorce from his wife Florence, in which the petition was filed late last evening. He states that they were married at Rawson, Ohio, May 2, 1903, and charges willful absence for more than three years.

**Interesting Session.**  
As provided by law, the commissioners called a meeting yesterday of the township trustees and road superintendents. A full attendance resulted, and Marshall Jennings, of Monroe township was selected as chairman, and H. N. Lamberton, secretary of the meeting.

The day was spent in a general discussion of the best means of improving the roads of the county, at the least expense. The exchange of ideas will prove a benefit to the various districts.

The question of the necessity of stream rollers, in building and repairing roads, was discussed, and the commissioners suggested that the county be blocked into several districts of three townships each, and

that the trustees in the districts join in securing a roller for their district. No action was taken on any of the matters discussed, but the session will undoubtedly result in some improved methods of road building and repairing, which is much needed in Allen county.

**Appointment.**  
Tobias Miller has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late Volusia Miller.

**Dismissed.**  
Judge Hutchinson heard an application yesterday for the appointment of a guardian for Mary A. Mauk, and after carefully reviewing the testimony offered he dismissed the petition.

**Will Be Given Trial.**  
Little Lewis, of Lafayette, a 15 year old girl, has given the juvenile court no little amount of worry. The girl was given a hearing on the charge of larceny several months ago and found delinquent and sent to the industrial school at Delaware. The authorities there refused to accept her on the grounds that she was feeble minded. She was brought back here and given a home at the sheriff's residence, where she seemed to be pleased, but several weeks ago she ran away and returned to Lafayette. It has been impossible to keep her in school there, and the court has decided to place her in the children's home for a trial before holding an investigation on the feeble minded report.

**Marriage License.**  
DeAlton Dickenson, 47, and Ida May French, 41, both of Lima. The commissioners set the date for the hearing of the engineer's report for April 16, on the Mays ditch in Anglaise township. The matter may necessitate a joint session with the commissioners of Hardin county, the ditch may be a joint county affair.

**Will Probated.**  
The will of the late Barclay A. Satterthwaite was probated today, under which the entire estate, both real and personal is left to his daughter Adella Satterthwaite, who was named as executor without bond.

## LIMA HOSPITAL SAFE

Legislature Passes Appropriation Giving It \$258,000.

## STATE NORMAL SCHOOL ISSUE

Put in Tangible Form to South Part of the States.

Representative Pears returned from Columbus this morning much rejoiced that his labors in behalf of a quarter million appropriation with which to advance the building of the new state hospital had weathered all breakers, was a reality, save Governor Harmon's signature, which will no doubt be affixed. In addition to the \$250,000 appropriation an additional \$8,000 was allowed which is to be expended as follows: Salaries of commission, \$3,000; expense of commission \$1,500; salary of clerk J. H. Seerest, \$1,200; farm superintendent, \$300; fences and ditches \$2,000. The appropriation will be immediately available after the governor affixes his signature. Representative Pears said the normal school question had up to the present time met defeat, but that the counties in northwestern Ohio had combined, and had served notice on the southern Ohio members where two schools are now located, that unless they consented to grant the northern part of the state its proper quota, they would take one out of southern Ohio and put in some prosperous county in northwestern Ohio. All other states are adopting the plan of four normals. Mr. Pears will return to Columbus on Friday for the closing work of the session.

## MASONIC NOTICE.

The Masons will dance as usual at the Club parlors on Thursday evening of this week, the 11th inst. A cordial invitation is extended to all members.

## HAINS TRIAL TO BE PUT OFF.

Flushing, N. Y., March 10.—An effort to have the trial of Captain Peter C. Hains for the murder of William E. Annis postponed until some time in May was made by counsel for Captain Hains in the supreme court here today.

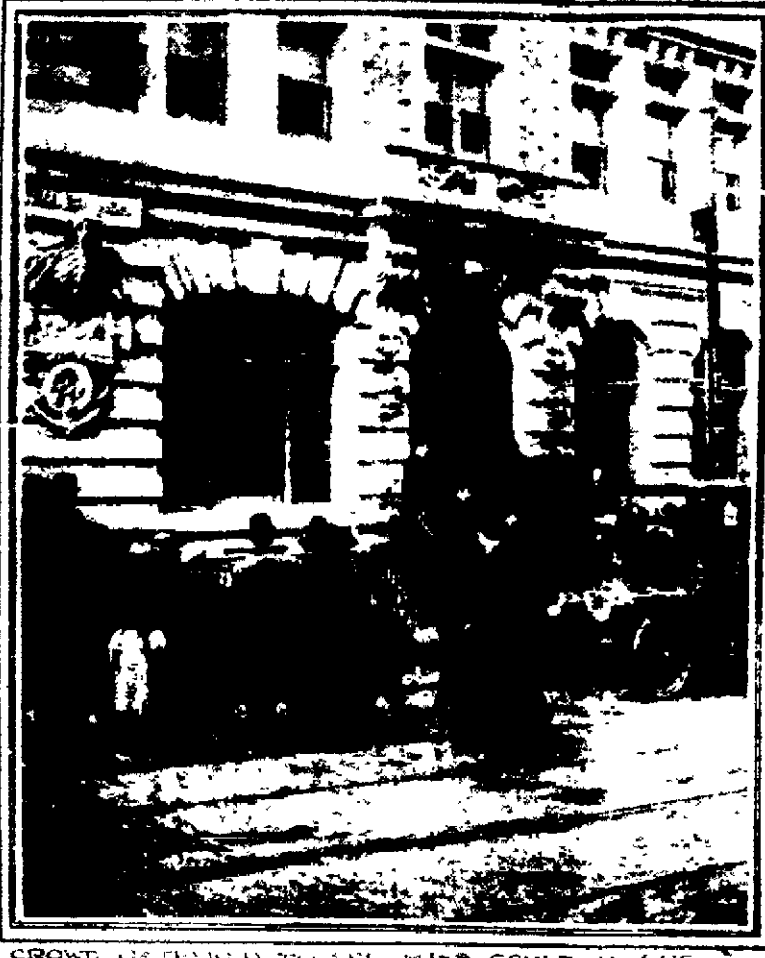
Justice Morrison said he would take the postponement request under consideration.

## Kodol is For Indigestion AND DYSPEPSIA

Headaches, dull pain in pit of the stomach, belching of gas and bitter fluid, "heartburn," all these mean indigestion, or dyspepsia. Then, if you will take a little Kodol, you will know just why it is for indigestion—and dyspepsia. That is really the best way to learn how good Kodol is—try it yourself, when you need it. You cannot make any mistake in taking a little Kodol whenever your stomach goes wrong.

**Our Guarantee.** Get a dollar bottle of Kodol. If you are not benefited—the drugist will at once return your money. Don't hesitate; any drugist will sell you Kodol on these terms. The dollar bottle contains of Lima as much as the five dollar bottle. Kodol is prepared in the Laboratories of Dr. C. C. De Witt & Co., Chicago.

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CROWD GATHERED TO SEE MISS GOULD AND SHE ARRIVED BY NAVALYER A. MISS GOULD BY DEERWAY.

New York, March 10.—Sailors of the fleet which circumnavigated the globe sent many post cards from foreign ports to Miss Helen Gould and Mrs. Russell Sage. This became known when Miss Gould made a pretty speech of acknowledgment to an audience of Uncle Sam's men at the Naval Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association in Brooklyn.

Widely known for their philanthropy, both of these women are immensely popular among the enlisted men of the navy on account of gifts for the benefit of those in the service, such as \$240,000 building where yesterday's exercises were held—a monument to Miss Gould's generosity. Grateful sailors sent their respects to Miss Gould and Mrs. Sage from many distant ports, to the surprise and gratification of the recipients. In a brief speech at a social tea Miss Gould said:—

"You have no idea, perhaps, how much pleasure many of you have given Mrs. Russell Sage by having sent her souvenir postal cards while you were making your long trip. She shows them with pride to her friends. I thank you also for having remembered me in the same way."

## THE TWO BAUGHMANS

Held as Federal Prisoners

Make Clever Escape at Indianapolis.

OFFICERS WERE SEARCHING CELLS

For Jail Delivery Tools

When Prisoners Escaped Through Air Shaft.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 10.—While a search of their cells was being made for jail delivery tools, Robert and James Baughman, federal prisoners held for postoffice robberies, made a novel escape yesterday.

Sheriff Woessner had received a tip from Lafayette that the Baughmans were preparing to break jail. They were placed in a lower corridor while the sheriff and a deputy searched their cells. Watched only by some of the prisoners in the cell on the first floor of the jail the boys picked up a padlock holding a grating leading to a ventilation shaft in the north-west tower of the building and got away.

Triumphantly returning from their search of the cells with three table knives, hacked on the edge to make saws, some wire a glass bottle, an iron bedspring and a candle, the sheriff and his deputies found an empty corridor.

The federal and local authorities, aided by bloodhounds, are searching the city, but have found no trace of the fugitives.

Robert and James Baughman were arrested about five weeks ago following a series of robberies in Indiana and Ohio.

The Baughman boys were arrested on the charge of perpetrating a postoffice robbery at Upland, Ind., and after being apprehended confessed to a number of robberies in Ohio, among which was the robbery of the McMillen and Cavo grocery store on South Main street in this city.

## NOTICE, SPRING STREET PROPERTY OWNERS.

There will be a meeting of the property owners on west Spring street at council chamber, city building, Wednesday evening, March 10th at 7:30 p. m. to discuss the matter of paving or resurfacing said street. All parties interested are earnestly requested to be present.

## C. Q. D. OR SAVED BY WIRELESS AT THE ROYAL THEATRE, WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY.

One of the most thrilling, interesting and entertaining pictures ever presented is now being shown at the Royal. All remember a man disappeared last January when the Republic was sunk by the Florida, but all hands were saved by means of the radio headsets of Jack Hains, the wireless telegraph operator. All the minor details are handled in a very thorough manner in the pictures and should be observed by all.

## TO CONSIDER RAISING RATES.

St. Louis, March 10.—A conference of the executive and officials of the Missouri lines has been called here for tomorrow to consider action to be taken in the restoration of passenger rates. The general passenger agent has decided to recommend full restoration of rates to the chief traffic executives early as possible.

## INSANE MAN.

Former Lima Resident Taken to Asylum.

No signs of improvement have been shown in the demented condition of William Halland, the negro who has been confined in the police station as a maniac. All day Monday and all night his raving continued as he lay strapped to a cot. An examination was made by Dr. Earl Thomas and the fellow was pronounced hopelessly insane. Yesterday morning he was taken from the station to the asylum at Gallipolis, O., in charge of Sheriff Johns and Special Officer Frank Treese. He was taken to the T. & O. C. train at 9:00 o'clock in Barnhart's ambulance.—Herald Courier.

## RAILROAD

Absolved from Responsibility for Insanity.

The New York, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company is absolved from responsibility for an accident which caused the wife of J. C. Clark, Putnam county, to become insane.

Mrs. Clark was riding as a passenger in the caboose and was jolted from her seat so that she fell on her head, sustaining injuries which caused her to lose her reason. The common pleas court decided the company was not blame-worthy, but the circuit court held to the contrary. The supreme court reverses the latter court and affirms the first named one.

## BASKET BALL AND DANCE.

WHITE STARS VS. PINDLAY. AUDITORIUM, FRIDAY, 8:30 P. M.

## WEDNESDAY EVENING'S ORGAN CONCERT.

When Mr. Burroughs played on the \$25,000 four-manual Muesel organ at Chautauque, N. Y., last summer, Miss Fanny Edgar Thomas, of the Musical Courier (N. Y.) said in that paper, "It is a treat to hear one who can make an organ breathe; in fact, one who can express musical ideas rhythmically, whose every movement suggests rhythm."

Last month Mr. Burroughs played before an audience of 3,000 people on the great Pan-American organ now placed in City Convention Hall, Buffalo, N. Y., and the Buffalo Express of February 15th, said: "It was one of the best recitals given this season."

Hear him Wednesday evening, March 10th, on the new organ in Oliver Presbyterian church, corner west Kibby and south Elizabeth streets.

**SIMPLE REMEDY FOR LA GRIPPE.**  
La grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a tasty package. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Kellner, Prop.

Suits, Jackets, Skirts and waists for spring at Light & Conner's.

Saved by Wireless. Republic disaster at Royal Theatre.

## THE DRY GOODS, DRESS GOODS AND SUIT HOUSE.

Wednesday, March 10, 1909.

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## We Announce Our Complete Showing of Tailored Suits.

The last of the week will see our line of Women's Tailored Suits complete and ready for spring trade. This season we are able to show you the best line of Women's Tailored Suits it has ever been our good fortune to display this early in the year. They come both in moderately priced suits, as well as the better numbers. Styles for spring are now centered on the strictly tailored garments, which fact will aid you materially in your selection.

## Distinctive Styles Lend Character.

Distinctive style characterizes every suit in the house. If you buy your suit at Bluem's you will be sure to have something different, as exclusiveness is one of our chief aims.

Our best Suits come made up of fine imported cloths, in stripe and satin finish effects. These materials are very hard to secure. In fact it will be impossible to duplicate them as the mills are not able to supply the demand. Therefore we earnestly advise you to select early.

Price Range of Suits, \$15 to \$75 each.

The prices of these Suits range from \$15, \$20 and \$22.50 for good style models, well tailored and elegant materials; to—\$25.00 and \$27.50 for the best models ever shown at these prices. They come in all the new shades in both plain and striped effects.

Exceptionally fine Models are included in the lot at \$30 to \$75 each, which come in all the new shades in plain satin finish and striped effects.

## Our La Grecque Corset Demonstration Continues Only Three More Days.

We invite all who want the services of our New York Corsetiere to come in this week. Her work has been giving the best of satisfaction to our customers—and they are many. Stout people, and people hard to be fitted are urged to come in.

No charges are made for advice, or fittings of these Corsets. Price range, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.50 to \$8.50.

## Embroidery Sale--24c and 33c yd.

A good selection of those Corset Cover and Flouncing Embroideries are still here, in fact every piece is beautiful for the money. They come 18 in. and 22 in. wide, in both eyelet and French patterns, specially priced at 24c and 33c yard.

Those 5c Linen Torchon Laces are nearly all gone, too. Don't wait and then feel disappointed.

## An Exhibit of Beautiful Dress Fabrics

All wool and silk-and-wool Dress Fabrics of newest styles and finest qualities are here in a wide assortment of weaves and shades. A good time to make your selection for that new Easter gown, and have it made before the final rush begins.

They come in satin finished Toscas, Coronas, Cecilian, Turin, and Spartan weaves, Laundownes and Broadcloths, at \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$2.50 yard.

Satin finish French Serges, satin finish Henriettas, Tamise, Storm Serges, etc., in all the new shades, at 75c yard.

36 in. Henriettas, light weight Tamise, etc., at 50c yard.

See those popular new black and white striped Serges, 38 in. wide, in 10 different styles, extra good qualities, at 50c yard.

See window display of new shades in gray materials.

**G. E. BLUEM**

## OHIO ELECTRIC

Delays Construction of Station at Springfield.

From what can be learned from the Ohio Electric railway officials the prospects are not encouraging for the erection of a passenger station here before next fall. Under the amendment granted by council, the company has one more year in which to carry out the provisions of the franchise ordinance. As a result the time fixed for starting the station has been pushed forward to August. It is understood that if the financial condition of the company continues to improve the company may start its improvements earlier than expected.—Springfield News.

## ATTENTION, TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS.

Those desiring the services of C. F. Woolery, piano tuner, can secure them by calling his residence over either phone. New C-1174; Old 1274.

## TO NATURAL GAS PATRONS.

ALL NATURAL GAS BILLS MUST BE PAID ON OR BEFORE THE TENTH OF THE MONTH TO SAVE THE DISCOUNT. DISCOUNT CANNOT BE ALLOWED TO ANYONE PAYING THEIR BILLS AFTER THE TENTH OF THE MONTH.

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